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# Burpee Seeds 1949



## **BURPEE'S NEW GIANT SKYSCRAPER SNAPDRAGONS**

The aristocrat of snapdragons, tallest growing, extra large flowers and many more flowers on every stem. Beautiful blend of pink, rose, yellow, rosy orange, white and other magnificent colors. Mixed only.

1550 Skyscraper Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00





#### **LUTHER BURBANK ZINNIAS**

**2910** Luther Burbank Zinnias grow 5 to 5½ in. across and are of the loveliest, delicate pastel or art shades. Some are of one color, others have unusually beautiful two- and three-color combinations with here and there an occasional pale lavender or light orange. 3 to 4 ft. tall. **Pkt.** (100 seeds) 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢



# BURPEE PETUNIAS



*New!*

## 2486 Burpee's PINK SENSATION

Plants of this true, first generation ( $F_1$ ) hybrid are extremely vigorous and completely covered with large, light pink flowers from early summer until frost. Can be depended upon to produce a grand display. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. 2 ft.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢;  
2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35;  
5 pkts. \$2.00

## 2499 Burpee's SILVER MEDAL

You should see the perfectly gorgeous, rich salmon flowers to appreciate their beauty, size, shape and the profusion in which they appear on this true, first generation ( $F_1$ ) hybrid. Entirely new color in petunias. 1 ft. tall. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢;  
2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35;  
5 pkts. \$2.00



## 2502 Balcony BLUE WONDER

Long branches covered with flowers make them especially desirable for trailing from hanging baskets, porch and balcony boxes, as for use in large beds and wide borders. Nice if used with White Wonder. 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  
1/16 oz. 75¢

## 2545 Balcony WHITE WONDER

Companion to Blue Wonder and makes an effective display planted with it or the two hybrids pictured above. It is splendid, too, if planted alone, the large, pure glistening white flowers standing out in bold contrast to the green foliage. Height, 1½ ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  
1/16 oz. 75¢





# BURPEE'S BEST 6 GIANT *Dahlia Flowered* ZINNIAS

7543—6 BEST COLORS, one pkt. each of the 6 named  
giant flowered varieties pictured on this page,  
6 pkts. in all, value 90¢, for only **50¢**

Separate varieties: Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45¢

2834 All Colors Mixed Extra choice blend of all varieties—those  
shown and some others. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70¢

2901  
CANARY BIRD

2914  
ROYAL PURPLE

2897  
ORIOLE

2896  
EXQUISITE

2900  
POLAR BEAR

2882  
WILL ROGERS



# Four Favorite Burpee Marigolds



**A**

## **A 2280 BURPEE PRIMROSE**

The carnation-like flowers,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are of distinctive form; individual petals are waved and rolled, thus adding grace and doubleness to the handsome, soft primrose-yellow blooms which are so lovely and desirable for cutting and garden use. Plants grow 22 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 60¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00

## **B 2340 VICTORY**

Charm, dignity and refinement stand out in the loosely placed, exquisitely ruffled and frilled carnation-like flowers, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across; they are freely borne on stems up to 18 in. in length. Grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

## **C 2270 MAMMOTH MUM**

The largest of the chrysanthemum-flowered marigolds. Innumerable finely cut florets, intertwined and interlaced in true mum form make up the fluffy, ball-like blooms,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. and more across. Plants,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

## **D 2271 BURPEE'S RED AND GOLD HYBRIDS**

Hybrids between African and French marigolds. Flowers grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across; some are solid red, others golden yellow while many are delightful combinations of red and gold. Plants grow  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall; come into bloom early and continue to bear profusely until frost.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; 5 pkts. \$2.00



**B**

7689 - 4 pkts., one each of all four  
named marigolds pictured  
on this page, value \$1.15, **75¢**  
for only



**C**



**D**





**2987 MORNING GLORY, HEAVENLY BLUE**

Most desirable, quick growing, early climber. Flowers 4 to 5 in. across. Vines are a sheet of blue when in full bloom; July until frost. **SPECIAL: Pkt. only 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢**



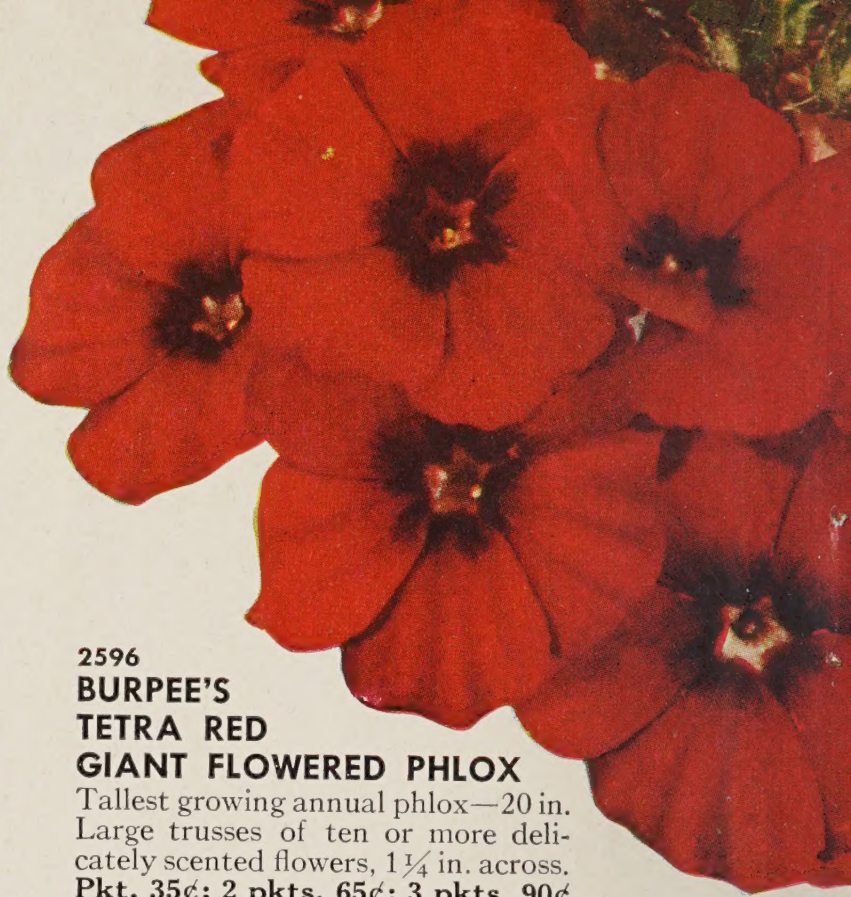
**1811 BURPEE'S CALENDULA, ORANGE QUILLS**

New, large, quilled, long-stemmed calendula, 3 1/2 in. across. **Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢**



**1522 SWEET ALYSSUM, VIOLET QUEEN**

Dwarf, free blooming plants covered with large heads of fragrant, bright violet flowers, the top center ones in the cluster being white. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢**



**2596 BURPEE'S TETRA RED GIANT FLOWERED PHLOX**

Tallest growing annual phlox—20 in. Large trusses of ten or more delicately scented flowers, 1 1/4 in. across. **Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢**

*Burpee's New and Better Flowers*



**1607 BURPEE'S HEAVENLY BLUE ASTER**

New, extra early, azure-blue aster, 4 in. across with long, fluffy, narrow petals, curled towards center. **Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢**



# Burpee's New and Better Flowers

## 2135 BURPEE WONDER LARKSPURS

Strong, upright spikes  
of large, double flow-  
ers; blue, white and  
salmon in mixture.  
Grow 3½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  
1/8 oz. 45¢;  
1/4 oz. 75¢

## 2878 ZINNIAS DAVID BURPEE

Large chrysanthemum-like flowers in  
many colors; some with  
two, others of three tones.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 25¢;  
2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢



## 2285 RED HEAD MARIGOLD

Rich mahogany-red, single flowers changing  
to subtle shades of gold, bronze, and auburn.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢



## 2351 NAUGHTY MARIETTA MARIGOLD

Showy single flowers in a gay contrast of  
colors.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢






# Burpee's Double Snapdragons

A new type of extraordinary snapdragons that are distinct and different in their unusual, exquisite, astounding formation. They are the result of seven years of breeding and selection by our flower experts on Floradale Farms.

## 1610 BURPEE DOUBLE

The first giant alldouble snapdragon ever grown from seed. Originated by us and when offered last year really created a sensation. Flowers are large, well formed and nicely placed on the spike; the extra, small, wavy petals protruding from the mouth add grace, charm as well as surprise. 28 in. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢;  
3 pkts. 90¢



## 1612 LEMONADE SNAPDRAGON

A novelty of exceptional merit and a nice companion to Burpee Double with the same wonderful flower formation. The clear primrose flowers of one, and the rich, deep golden blooms of the other, make a striking contrast in beds or cut-flower arrangements. Central spike grows 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25

*New!*



# W. Atlee Burpee Co.

*Seed Growers*

HUNTING PARK AVE., PHILADELPHIA 32, PA.



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Dear Fellow Gardeners:

Now is the time when most of us are thinking of our gardens and the first step in our plans is to decide what flowers and vegetables we want to grow. You will find in this catalog the finest selection of both seeds and bulbs. Every variety that we consider worth growing in your garden is listed here.

For 73 years Burpees have been working to improve the old favorites and to create new varieties of superior merit for you.

Many of our developments in flowers and vegetables have become world famous. Such well-known varieties as Fordhook Bush Lima, Iceberg Lettuce, Golden Bantam Sweet Corn, Golden Self Blanching Celery and Copenhagen Market Cabbage were first introduced in America by my father many years ago.

In recent years, the new vegetables we have created on Fordhook Farms include the Burpee Hybrid Cucumber and the Hybrid Tomatoes. These already have become popular in all parts of the country because they are so good and with their hybrid vigor outyield ordinary varieties in both quality and quantity.

Burpee's new and better flowers created on Floradale Farms are known to almost every gardener. They include some of the greatest improvements in Asters, Marigolds, Petunias, Snapdragons, Sweet Peas, Zinnias and many others.

It always has been our constant purpose to supply gardeners everywhere with the Best Seeds that Grow. That we have done this is one reason why the Burpee business has grown from its small beginning in 1876 until now it is the largest mail order seed business in the entire world.

We appreciate the confidence that gardeners all over the world have placed in us for so long a time, and we especially want to thank you for recommending Burpee's Seeds to other gardeners.

Whether you garden for pleasure or for profit, we hope that we may have the privilege of supplying you with the Best Seeds that Grow for 1949.

May we have your order as early as it is convenient for you to send it.

With best wishes for a most successful garden.

Faithfully yours,

*David Burpee*

President

**FREE DELIVERY** Burpee pays delivery charges anywhere in the U. S. on everything offered in this catalog except large quantities of vegetable roots, lawn grass seed and fertilizers marked "not prepaid." On these, the customer pays the transportation charges.

**BURPEE GUARANTEE** We guarantee the vitality and purity of Burpee's Seeds and Bulbs to the full amount of the purchase price. You can have your money back any time within a year if you are not satisfied with the results. Even with the highest quality seeds and bulbs, success in gardening depends largely upon cultivation, soil, and weather conditions. Therefore, in no case shall W. Atlee Burpee Co. be liable for more than the amount actually paid us for seeds or bulbs.



# Burpee's GIANT PANSIES

Pansies always have been a great specialty with us and we are justly proud of our strains. The most careful breeding and selection assure you of the very highest quality. Their wide range of colors, markings and forms, their easy culture, have made Burpee pansies universally popular. Pansies succeed best in fairly rich, well-drained soil in a sunny position, and produce their finest flowers in the cool, early days of spring. Keep flowers picked during the summer, plants pinched back, and you will get a nice lot of flowers again in the fall. For earliest blooms, start seed indoors four to six weeks before your outdoor planting time.



2513 Giant Fancy Pansy,  
Burpee Blend  
Pkt. 35¢

## 2513 Burpee Blend of Giant Fancy Pansies

A carefully prepared mixture that is unsurpassed in every way. Plants are selected for their vigor and the way they hold their flowers well above the foliage; blooms are of the largest size and of the most beautiful, distinct and varied colors, including blotched varieties. Flowers are also heavy, thick, well waved, and crinkled at the edges. Every worth while color and color combination has been included. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

## Improved Swiss Giants

The plants are of exceptionally strong and robust growth while the flowers are unusually large, perfectly round, with overlapping petals of heavy substance and borne freely on long, sturdy stems.

**2470 Alpenglow** Rich, velvety Indian-red blooms of the largest size, showing a large dark blotch on each of the three lower petals. The reddest of all pansies. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**2471 Swiss Blue** Large, well-rounded blooms of a vivid shade of blue, with a blue-black blotch in the center. The coloring is most effective. The finest blue. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**2464 Swiss Orange** Most refined and unusual coloring which varies from apricot at the edges of petals to pure deep orange in the center; general effect is rich orange. A bed or border of this color is indescribably beautiful. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**2472 Swiss Giant Blotched Mixed** Flowers are of gigantic size, perfectly round, and come in a great variety of colors practically unknown heretofore in pansies. Rich in red, salmon, pink and other unusual shades, all of which are heavily blotched with contrasting deep colors. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

## Super Swiss Giants

**2473 Special Mixture** Largest flowers in all the vivid, rare and most outstanding shades of blue, purple, red, bronze, yellow and primrose. We have also included some of the five-blotched varieties that are so beautiful and appealing to further enhance the color assortment. Magnificent. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.10

## Trimardeau or Giant Bedding Pansies

**2457 All Colors Mixed** Where color effect is more important than size of bloom, this mixture will be found highly desirable for beds, borders and edgings as plants are compact, extremely free blooming, of neat habit, and very hardy. Flowers are large, borne on strong, stiff stems long enough for cutting. Excellent blend of colors, some prettily blotched, others richly margined and variegated.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00

**2461 Bugnot's Giant Blotched** Striking round flowers, each petal beautifully blotched in many colors and margined with white, yellow or cream. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**2424 Coronation Gold** Canary-yellow with the lower petals flushed golden orange. Flowers grow 3 in. across, are round, with lightly ruffled edges and have a mild, spicy scent. Highly prized for cutting; effective in borders and edgings. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**2427 Jumbo Mixed** Immense flowers in a well-balanced color blend of blue, purple, bronze, yellow, red and primrose shades; many beautifully blotched. White, self or spotted varieties have been omitted. An unusually choice selection; the bronze shades are outstanding. Early and profuse. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50

**2465 Maple Leaf Giant Mixed** (Canadian Giants) The plants are of compact growth habit with giant blooms of heavy substance. The range of color is marvelous, including both light and bright shades in addition to those rich velvety dark tones which are typical of pansies. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**2500 Mastodon Giants** Very large, heavily ruffled and crinkled blooms in many colors, ranging from white to deepest mahogany. Included in this remarkable mixture are also lavender, rose, cerise, and light blue shades. Compact plants with the flowers held well above the foliage. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**2454 Oregon Giants** Extra long-stemmed giant flowers of somewhat flattened form; petals gracefully waved at the edge which adds considerably to their beauty. They can be grown 4 in. across. A wonderful range of choice colors. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50

**2463 Ruffled Masterpiece** Charming medium size pansies with crinkled and heavily ruffled blooms that have so much substance as to appear double. Many delightful colors, mostly in rich and deeper shades. Free bloomer. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**2458 Sunnybrook Giants** Outstanding for its wide range of color, compact growth, and free blooming qualities. The petals of the gorgeous blooms are not only thick, but waved and frilled to the extreme. Bright and vivid self-colors, as well as blotched make up this select blend. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.10



2473  
Super Swiss Giant Pansy,  
Special Mixture  
Pkt. 40¢



# Luther Burbank Zinnias

*Illustrated in color on inside front cover.*

**2910 Luther Burbank Zinnias** are a rare blend of lovely, delicate pastel or art shades comprised of many self colors ranging from cream and primrose through delicate buff-yellow, canary yellow, ivory, soft salmon, warm rose, chamois, apricot, peach, blush pink, salmon-pink to clear, bright rose. There are also unusual two- and three-color combinations of soft and light shades in some of the individual blooms. When an occasional pale lavender or light orange appears, it is always a tone that blends harmoniously with the others.

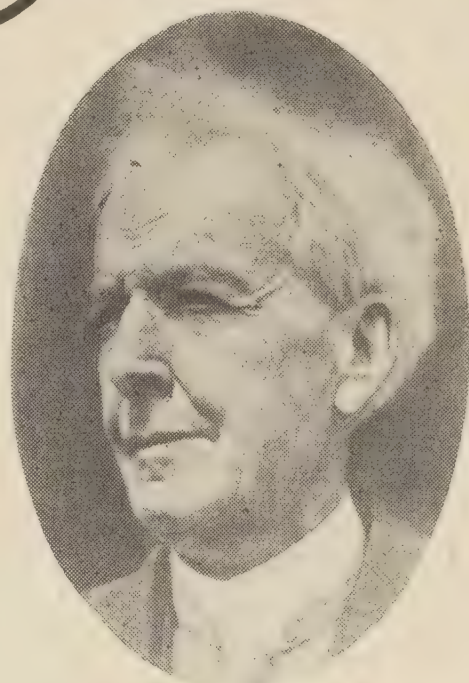
Flowers grow 5 to 5½ in. across and are composed of numerous petals which curl back somewhat to form thick flower heads 2 to 3 in. deep. Individual petals turn under at the end, giving them an unusual effect, thus adding charm and interest. Plants are strong growing, 3 to 4 ft. tall, well-branched so that an abundance of long-stemmed flowers is assured for cutting.

Vigorous plant growth, profuse blooming, large flowers, and a well-balanced range of pastel colors combine to make the Luther Burbank Zinnias a novelty worthy of the tribute to the plantsman for whom they were named.

Luther Burbank was born on a small farm in Massachusetts in 1849. At the age of 26, he moved to Santa Rosa, California, where he collected various types or species of plants from all over the world. Through hybridizing and selection, he created a multitude of new varieties; in fact, he was the greatest creator of new varieties of plants up until the time of his death in 1926.

It was David Burpee's privilege to continue with Luther Burbank's unfinished work with vegetables and flowers. As a result, David Burpee perfected these great new zinnias and named them in honor of his famous cousin and old friend, Luther Burbank, whose 100th Anniversary will be observed this year. Be sure that your garden contains these Centennial Zinnias.

**Pkt. (100 seeds) 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00**



The plant wizard of the world, in whose honor this new, delightful blend of giant zinnias is named. These zinnias are the direct result of the hybridizing done by Luther Burbank about a quarter of a century ago. Years of constant selection by David Burpee has brought them to their present high state of perfection.



Luther Burbank Zinnias growing for seed on our Floradale Farms in California. The young lady, admiring some of the gorgeous blooms, is one of our zinnia experts.



# BURPEE'S *Super Giant* ZINNIAS



3175 **Burpee's Super Giants** are truly giant,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, in a full range of all colors found in zinnias including some of the loveliest colors and combinations of colors ever seen in this flower. Rare and unusual shades of cream, buff, apricot, salmon, rose and orange predominate, with a few yellows and whites; scarlet and crimson are not prominent, though there are some very attractive flowers in these colors. One is impressed by the many two-tone and three-tone color effects seen in some of the blooms. Diversity of petal and flower form, together with a most amazing assortment of solid colors and color combinations, makes Burpee's Super Giants a most delightful blend of zinnias for garden and cutting. 3 ft.

**Pkt.** (100 seeds) 25¢; **2 pkts.** 45¢;  **$\frac{1}{8}$  oz.** 60¢;  **$\frac{1}{4}$  oz.** \$1.00



# BURPEE'S GIANT *Dahlia Flowered* ZINNIAS



*Zinnias, especially Dahlia Flowered, are highly prized for garden display and cutting*

Dahlia flowered zinnias are outstanding both for the exquisite form of their long-stemmed flowers, which resemble giant dahlias, and for the lovely shades included in their range of color. The individual blooms grow about 5 in. across and 2 in. and more in depth. The well-branched sturdy plants grow 3 ft. high and bloom most profusely. Showy in the garden; wonderful for cutting as flowers have remarkable keeping qualities.

**2899 Burpee's Fancy Tints** Tremendous flowers that grow larger than any other dahlia flowered zinnia. We have selected seed from the choicest specimens, every one of which was more than 5 in. across and about 4 in. deep. The combination of colors is most strange; they shade from old rose on the outer petals through gold to a halo of bright cerise in the center. Plants are base branching, with stems growing 2 to 2½ ft. long. Wonderful for exhibition purposes; outstanding in the garden and valuable for cutting.

**2901 Canary Bird** A most pleasing shade of primrose-yellow which combines well with the deep shades of Dream or Royal Purple.

**2894 Dream** An unusual tone of deep lavender turning to mal-low-purple as the flowers age, a rather rare shade in zinnias.

**2896 Exquisite** Light rose with deeper rose center, creating a most pleasing two-toned color effect which is lovely for cutting.

**2888 Golden Dawn** Appealing golden yellow—almost a light orange shade with a reddish center. Rich and colorful combination.

**2891 Illumination** Enormous flowers of deep tyrian rose—a beauty, whether in the garden or as cut flowers.

**2897 Oriole** Attractive two-toned flowers—golden orange outer petals in contrast to a reddish orange center. Pretty blending.

**2900 Polar Bear** The best of all white zinnias; flowers are borne on long stems. Nice alone or a good mixer with the others.

**2914 Royal Purple** Distinct color in this class—a deep, rich royal purple without any hint of blue. All-America Winner.

**2904 Scarlet Flame** Bright scarlet nicely blended with orange. A vivid color and one that is in demand for cutting.

**2882 Will Rogers** Most brilliant scarlet-red shade of dazzling beauty. Striking, long-stemmed flowers of great appeal.

*Any of the above named varieties:*

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

## Best Six Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias

**Canary Bird, Exquisite, Oriole, Polar Bear, Royal Purple and Will Rogers**

**7543**—6 pkts., one each of these six separate named varieties, from white to deep royal purple, value 90¢ for only **50¢**

**7544**—⅛ oz. each of the 6 separate varieties for a wealth of color, value \$2.70 for only **\$2.00**

**3214 Crown of Gold Mixed** The large flowers come in a most singular color range—burnished red, yellow, old rose, cream and carmine; each petal overlaid deep golden yellow at the base.  
Pkt. 10¢; ⅛ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2837 Pastel Shades Mixed** Pink, yellow and lavender, in addition to white, are blended in the right quantity of each to give a colorful display. All dark colors have been omitted; only the most pleasing light shades are included. Will create an unusually artistic garden effect and supply many beautiful flowers for cutting.  
Pkt. 20¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2834 All Colors Mixed** Complete mixture of all named varieties of giant dahlia flowered zinnias that have been grown separately and then blended in the proper color proportion of each for a glorious display in the garden and when used for cutting.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 70¢

**2925 Burpee's Best Mixed** Immense flowers in a specially prepared mixture of the best ten colors to be had in giant dahlia flowered zinnias. Sure to attract attention in the garden or when used as cut flowers for home decoration. Extra choice blend.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ⅛ oz. 80¢

See next two pages for other Zinnias . . 5



# Giants of California Zinnias



3190 Giants of California Zinnia, Enchantress Pkt. 15¢

## Eight Giants of California Zinnias

Enchantress, Golden Queen, Lavender Gem,  
Orange King, Purity, Rose Queen,  
Salmon Queen and Scarlet King

7585—8 pkts., one each of these 8 separate varieties,  
a choice range of colors, value \$1.20 for only **90¢**

Immense double flowers, 5 to 6 in. across, of a distinctive shape that is most graceful and desirable. The overlapping petals are more loosely placed than in the dahlia flowered type of zinnia, and the flowers themselves are more flattened, being only about 1 in. in depth. The vigorous, well-branched plants grow about 3 ft. tall and produce many long, strong flower stems.

**3185 Daffodil** Distinct shade of bright canary or daffodil-yellow that is extremely popular for cutting.

**3190 Enchantress** Light rose with dark rose center. A truly enchanting two-toned color combination.

**3192 Golden Queen or Lemon Queen** Soft lemon-yellow with a distinct golden yellow suffusion.

**3197 Lavender Gem** Deep lavender, turning to a warm purple as the flower matures. A rare shade.

**3187 Orange King** Rich cadmium or orange-scarlet of remarkable brilliance; many are two-toned.

**3186 Purity** Outstanding for its pure white color.

**3188 Rose Queen** Clear rose-pink. Highly desirable shade for garden decoration and cut flowers.

**3198 Salmon Queen** Salmon-rose flowers of unusual beauty; a most delightful color for cutting and garden display.

**3189 Scarlet King** Glowing scarlet of exceptional brilliance.

**3199 Violet Queen** Marvelous flowers of a wonderful shade of deep purple; especially beautiful under artificial light.

**3195 All Colors Mixed** This mixture has been most carefully blended according to color values. All of the ten named varieties are grown separately, and the proper quantity of each is put in this mixture to make a well-balanced display.

Any of the above Giants of California Zinnias:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**3182 Pastel Shades Mixed** We have prepared this special mixture from the most beautiful shades of pink, yellow, and lavender only, with just sufficient white to effect a perfect color harmony. All dark and harsh shades have been omitted.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

## Burpee's Gigantic Zinnias

3235 Colossal and Chrysanthemum Flowered—blend of all best colors. As advertised, we are making this offer so that everyone may enjoy them.

**SPECIAL: 75¢ pkt. for only 10¢**

## Fantasy Zinnias

**3212 Mixed Colors** The attractive, well-rounded, medium-size, shaggy double flowers, 3 to 3 1/2 in. across, are composed of a mass of twisted, tubular petals which give them the appearance of a miniature cactus dahlia. Unusual range of colors. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

## Cut and Come Again Zinnias

Fully double, well-rounded flowers, about 2 1/2 in. across, are freely produced on long stems; ideal for cutting. The compact, branching plants, which in an average soil grow 1 1/2 ft. tall, keep on blooming from early midsummer until frost, making an attractive display in beds or borders.

2804 **Crimson Beauty**

2806 **Golden Orange**

2808 **Pink Beauty**

2818 **Salmon Rose**

2817 **Bright Scarlet**

2887 **Spun Gold**

2811 **Violet Beauty**

2803 **Canary Yellow**

2819 **White**

2816 **Mixed Colors**

Any of the above Cut and Come Again Zinnias:

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**3026 Special Mixture** Choice blend of Golden Orange, Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose, Bright Scarlet, Spun Gold, White and Canary Yellow. Dark shades have been omitted. Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

## Six Cut and Come Again Zinnias

Golden Orange, Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose,  
Bright Scarlet, White and Canary Yellow

7595—6 pkts., one each of these six separate and beautiful colors of medium-size zinnias, value 60¢ for only **45¢**

## 7551 BURPEE'S ZINNIA GARDEN

10 pkts., 6 different types. 1 pkt. each of:

Burpee's Giant Dahlia Flowered, 5 best colors

Burpee Super Giants, Finest Mixed

David Burpee Zinnias, Choicest Mixed

Cut and Come Again, Special Mixture

Tiny Cupid, Burpee Best Mixed

Mexicana, Double Mixed Colors

10 separate pkts. in all, value \$1.75 for only **\$1**



2817  
Cut and Come Again  
Zinnia, Bright Scarlet  
Pkt. 10¢



# David Burpee Zinnias

**2878 David Burpee Zinnias** are strikingly different; very large, with petals so attractively curled and quilled that the flowers may be likened to chrysanthemums. Another outstanding feature of these zinnias is the unusual range of colors, many that have never before been seen in zinnias. Pastel shades predominate, with tones of apricot, soft cream, chamois, buff, terracotta, burnt orange, soft rose, and peach. Some flowers are of solid colors while others are combinations of two and three colors. Most desirable for garden use and unsurpassed for cutting. Plants grow 3 ft. tall; leaves of some are curled and twisted.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢



3220 Cupid Zinnia, Goblin Pkt. 15¢

## Tiny Cupid Zinnias

Compact plants, 1 ft. tall, produce a large number of slender branches, each bearing a small double flower which hardly exceeds 1 in. in diameter. For borders and cutting.

- 3220 **Goblin** Bronzy orange. 3217 **Pixie** Deep yellow.  
3221 **Snowdrop** Pure white. 3219 **Tiny Tim** Scarlet.  
3224 **Choice Mixture** Sure to make a grand display.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

3222 **Burpee's Best Mixed** Carefully blended mixture of the above varieties and others not in sufficient supply to offer separately. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

**7599**—4 pkts., one each of **Goblin, Pixie, Snowdrop** and **Tiny Tim**, value 60¢ for **45¢**



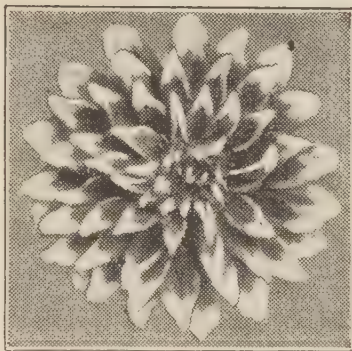
2878 David Burpee Zinnia Pkt. 25¢

## Mexicana or Miniature Zinnias

### 2826 Double Mixed, All Colors

Most charming double and semi-double blooms in a remarkable range of color blends and combinations. Rich in shades of yellow, orange, red, maroon, mahogany, some bordered and tipped creamy white or gold. Small, colorful blooms 1 to 1 1/2 in. across, are produced freely throughout the summer and fall on dwarf plants 1 to 1 1/2 ft. tall. Never fail to attract.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢



2826 Mexicana Mixed Pkt. 10¢

## Zinnias on Parade

3216 **Best Giants Mixed** Special mixture, including Giants of California, Giant Dahlia Flowered, David Burpee and Burpee's Super Giants; all blended in one bag. Pkt. (150 seeds) 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢

## Zinnia linearis

3234 Plants grow 1 ft. high and are covered throughout the season with deep orange-yellow single flowers, 1 1/2 in. across, each petal having a narrow light yellow stripe down the center. Begins to bloom early in the season and continues until frost. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

## Lilliput, Baby or Pompon Zinnias

The small, pompon-like flowers of lilliput zinnias are most appealing. Plants are dwarf, bushy and branching, 12 to 18 in. tall, and literally covered with double blooms, 1 to 1 1/2 in. across from early summer until frost. Nice as edgings to other plants.

- 3211 **Black Ruby** Deep blackish maroon. 2 ft.  
3200 **Golden Gem** Golden orange; nice shade.  
3207 **Lilac Gem** Distinct lavender-lilac; unusual.  
3206 **Peach Blossom** Soft light pink; delicate.  
3208 **Rose Gem** Deep clear rose-pink; splendid.  
3202 **Scarlet Gem** Bright fiery scarlet; intense.  
3204 **White Gem** Lovely pure white; popular.  
3201 **Canary Yellow** Clear shade of yellow.

Any of the above Lilliput Zinnias:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

2815 **Mixed Colors** A well-balanced blend of all the above and some other desirable colors.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

### Six Lilliput Zinnias

Golden Gem, Lilac Gem, Rose Gem, Scarlet Gem, White Gem and Canary Yellow

**7590**—6 pkts., one each of these six varieties, value 90¢ for only **60¢**



2815 Lilliput Zinnias, Mixed Colors Pkt. 10¢



3230 Navajo Zinnia Pkt. 15¢

## Navajo Zinnias

3230 **Mixed Colors** Flowers are of medium size, double and semi-double, and composed of long, narrow petals, each heavily tipped white, creamy white or creamy yellow. Colors run through lilac, crimson, orange, yellow, pink and other pastel shades. The bicolored blooms remind one of the colorings to be found in a Navajo rug. 1 1/2 ft. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

Creeping Zinnia, see Sanvitalia page 45.



# Burpee's African Marigolds

A wealth of color all summer and fall unequalled by any other flower. Easy to grow in ordinary garden loam but give the best results in a fairly rich medium one; be sure to plant in a sunny location. Remarkable diversity of flower forms. All are lovely for cutting, the flowers keeping in fine condition for a long time.

Carnation  
Flowered  
Marigold



2280  
Burpee Primrose  
Pkt. 25¢

## Tall Double African Ball Marigolds

Immense, ball-shaped, double blooms on long, stiff stems. Excellent for beds, borders and cutting. Plants bloom freely from mid-summer until frost and make a grand showing. 2½ ft. tall.

**2179 Orange Alldouble** Dazzling orange flowers made up of loosely placed quilled petals. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2178 Orange Ball** Attractive, bright orange, sponge-like, well-formed flowers on long stems. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2171 Lemon Alldouble** Loosely quilled, light yellow flowers; practically all are full doubles. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2176 Lemon Ball** Sponge-like, canary-yellow flowers of wonderful substance and shape. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2170 Tall Double African, Mixed Colors** All the above ball varieties and other types in a grand mixture. Makes a magnificent display in beds and borders; wonderful material for cutting. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 30¢; ½ oz. 50¢

## 2177 Marigolds on Parade

Special mixture of different named varieties of recent introduction, including those with odorless foliage, the first marigold (Tetra) created by the use of a chemical—colchicine—and the new single and double Hybrids. A glorious display of orange, yellow and red shades from early summer until frost. Showy in the garden and highly prized for cut flowers. Easy to grow in any sunny location.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00

## Peony Flowered Marigolds

**2173 Golden Supreme** Large, double, bright, glowing golden yellow flowers with an attractive loose petal, peony-like appearance. Plants are upright, quite bushy, 28 in. high; begin blooming in mid-summer and continue until frost. Blooms 3 in. across on long stems. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2300 Orange Supreme** Perfectly double, intense orange, peony-like flowers, 3 to 4 in. across on long, strong stems. Plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. high and bloom from early summer until frost. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2250 Yellow Supreme** Lemon-yellow blooms, 3 to 4 in. across, with broad, loosely placed, frilled petals that are exquisite. 28 in. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2282 Supreme Mixed** A charming mixture of all the above and other shades. Flowers 3 to 4 in. across, with big, frilled petals. Earlier flowering than the original Yellow Supreme. 28 to 36 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

## Carnation Flowered Marigolds

**2280 Burpee Primrose** First light yellow colored carnation flowered type of marigold with odor in the foliage. Flowers grow 3½ in. across, soft, pleasing primrose-yellow of distinctive form, the petals are not only prettily waved but rolled near the base thus adding grace and doubleness. Plants grow 22 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2295 Golden West** The big carnation-like flowers are deep orange and grow 3½ in. across, with petals loosely and gracefully placed. Plants attain a height of 2½ ft. Stems are quite long.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2180 Guinea Gold** Bright orange carnation-like flowers flushed with gold. The first of this type to be introduced. 2½ ft. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2342 Real Gold** Largest flowered of the attractive carnation type, 4½ in. and more across; distinct tone of golden orange shaded yellow. 20 to 25 in. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.*

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

**2193 Tetra** The very deep orange flowers have the same attractive carnation flowered form as Guinea Gold, but are much larger, 3½ to 4 in. across. The result of the doubling of the chromosomes of Guinea Gold. As easy to grow as any marigold. 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2340 Victory** Crisp, light golden orange flowers, 3 to 3½ in. across, the petals of which are extremely frilled thus giving an informal dainty effect to the lovely carnation-like blooms. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2290 Carnation Flowered Mixed** Above and few other varieties of which we do not have enough seed to offer separately.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

*Burpee's Carnation Flowered Marigolds with odorless foliage are listed with others without odor on page 10.*

## Burpee's Best Marigolds

### 2168 Tall African, Mixed Colors

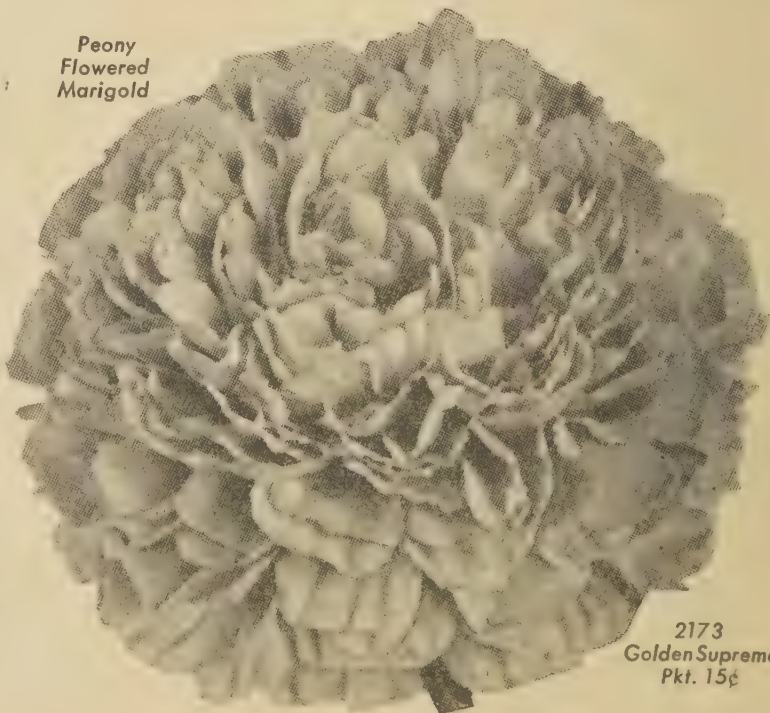
Remarkable for its wide color range and high percentage of fully double flowers. Colors run from the deepest orange to lightest primrose. Flowers are of many shapes—ball, carnation, chrysanthemum and peony flowered forms. They are large, many 5 in. across, with the average somewhat over 4 in. The plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. tall and bloom from early in the summer until frost. Unsurpassed where a gay mixture of yellow and orange is desired.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ⅛ oz. 80¢

### 2915 Giant Marigolds and Zinnias Mixed

One of the loveliest garden combinations you have ever seen; also desirable mixed as cut flowers. Best varieties of each are included. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 3 pkts. 60¢

Peony  
Flowered  
Marigold



2173  
Golden Supreme  
Pkt. 15¢



# Chrysanthemum Flowered Marigolds

**2297 Early Sunshine** Bright lemon-yellow, double chrysanthemum shaped flowers, 2½ in. across, 1½ in. deep. The plants grow 2 ft. tall and are very early flowering.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2366 Golden Bedder** Very early, profuse blooming plants, 14 in. high, covered from top to bottom with large, chrysanthemum-like flowers, 3 in. across, of a bright and glowing golden orange color. Showy in beds and borders; entire plants, when cut, make lovely bouquets. *All-America Winner*.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2356 Goldsmith** Giant incurved chrysanthemum-like, golden orange flowers up to 3 in. across and almost a perfect ball in shape; they have exceptionally long keeping qualities. Plants grow 18 in. tall; early and extremely free blooming. *All-America Winner*.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2296 Happiness** Companion to Golden Bedder and like it in flower form, plant habit and blooming time. Flowers however are a trifle larger and of a cheerful golden yellow color. Profuse bloomer. 16 in. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

**2174 Limelight** The lightest in color of all marigolds—a very soft primrose-yellow. Flowers grow 2¾ in. across, and are made up of hundreds of curled and interlaced petals to form a most exquisite pompon chrysanthemum-like head. Early, profuse blooming. 20 in. tall. *All-America Winner*.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2368 Yellowstone** Large, double, incurved chrysanthemum-like, clear golden yellow flowers, 2½ in. across, freely borne on 2 ft. vigorous plants from late summer until frost. For earliest blooms, especially in northern sections, we suggest starting seed indoors. Companion to Goldsmith.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢



2270 Mammoth Mum, Chrysanthemum Flowered Marigold Pkt. 25¢

**2270 Mammoth Mum** Largest of the chrysanthemum flowered marigolds. Big fluffy, ball-like, light sulphur-yellow blooms, made up of many finely cut individual florets intricately intertwined in true mum form, are 3½ in. and more across on long sturdy stems. 30 in. tall. *All-America Winner*.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

**2281 Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed** Showy flowers of different chrysanthemum-like shapes, varying in size from 2½ to 3 in. in diameter and from the deepest orange to bright yellow. Long stems. Some bloom early, others midseason and a few late. Prized for garden and cutting. 1½ to 3 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

## Hedge or Border Marigold

**2307 Spanish Gold** Plants are so even in growth that a row gives the appearance of a hedge, 20 in. high. Flowers are deep golden orange 3 in. across and somewhat resemble carnations but differ in that the petals are ruffled and slightly fluted. Comes into bloom rather late, so start the seeds early indoors.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

### 7686 BURPEE'S MARIGOLD GARDEN

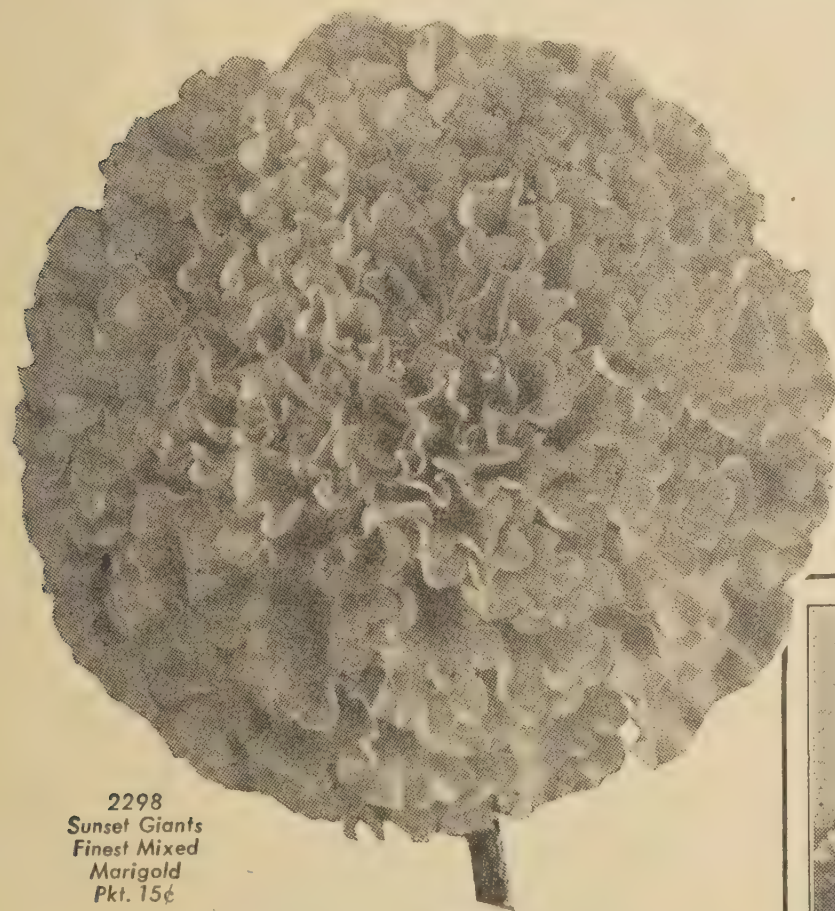
8 pkts.—5 different types. 1 regular pkt. each of:

Carnation Flowered Mixed  
Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed  
Peony Flowered Supreme Mixed  
Dwarf Double French Scarlet Glow;

Spry; Yellow Pygmy

Dwarf Single French Naughty Marietta; Red Head

8 separate pkts. in all, value \$1.70 for only \$1



2298  
Sunset Giants  
Finest Mixed  
Marigold  
Pkt. 15¢

## Sunset Giants Marigold

**2298 Finest Mixed** A large percentage of the plants will produce the biggest marigolds ever grown—5 in. and more across. Flowers vary in size, form, and come in many shades of orange and yellow. Plants grow 3½ ft. and more tall and are a mass of blooms from midsummer until killed by frost.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

## 2343 Burpee's Big Marigolds

Blend of the very finest carnation, chrysanthemum and peony flowered marigolds in a full color range. As advertised, we are making this exceptional offer so that everyone may enjoy Burpee's marvelous marigolds at a sensationally low price.

**SPECIAL: 75¢ pkt. for only 10¢**



## SIGNET MARIGOLD®

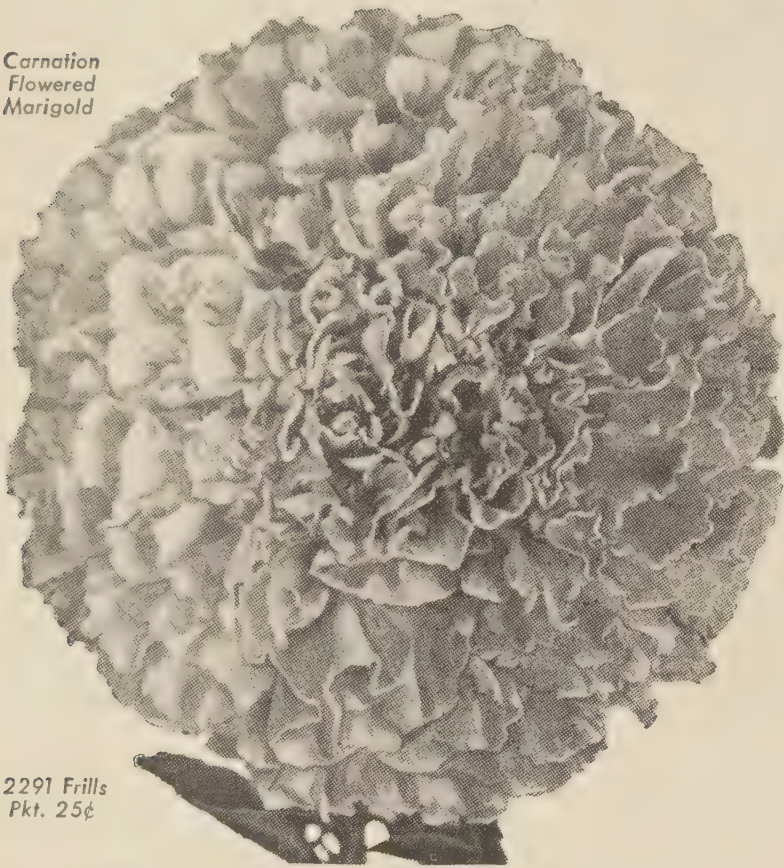
(*Tagetes signata pumila*)

**2202 Golden Ring** Extremely free-flowering dwarf plants, 8 to 10 in. tall, with fine, lacy foliage with the usual marigold odor and hundreds of small golden-orange flowers always open at one time. For edgings, borders and rock gardens they are unsurpassed. Easily grown anywhere.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢



# Burpee's Marigolds WITH ODORLESS FOLIAGE

Carnation  
Flowered  
Marigold



2291 Frills  
Pkt. 25¢

**2291 Frills** Frilly carnation-like marigold with odorless foliage. Flowers grow  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, clear, vivid mid- or golden orange with petals beautifully frilled and waved. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

**2363 Buff Beauty** Flowers 3 in. across, with the florets extremely and attractively ruffled or waved, giving a most delightful lacy appearance; the color is a rich, though soft, buttery golden buff. Blooms are carnation-like; foliage is odorless. 20 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

**2294 Burpee Gold** Carnation-like flowers  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across of a bright orange color with the long petals loosely and most artistically arranged. Plants have odorless foliage and grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

**2355 Canary Bird** Bright canary-yellow carnation-like flowers, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are freely borne on long, strong, stiff stems well above the deep green odorless foliage. Profuse blooming. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

## Best 6 Marigolds with Odorless Foliage

Burpee Gold, Canary Bird, Golden Glow, Honeycomb, Mayling and Oriole

7670—6 pkts., one each of these 6 separate named varieties, value \$1.20 for only 85¢

**2353 Clinton** Large, carnation flowered, brilliant orange blooms  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across; petals handsomely frilled and waved. Extra long cutting stems and odorless foliage. Grows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

**2341 Crown of Gold Improved** The first of the famous Burpee marigolds with odorless foliage; sweetly fragrant, bright orange-gold, collarette flowers 2 in. across are freely borne on stocky plants 2 ft. tall. *All-America Gold Medal Winner.*

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

**2272 Golden Glow** Flowers are bright, golden yellow,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, with straight, sharply pointed petals which lie rather flat; resemble Golden Glow Rudbeckia. Odorless foliage. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

**2374 Honeycomb** A Dwarf Double African marigold, 3 in. across, the florets growing erect-like and so arranged as to resemble a honeycomb in appearance. Color is a most intense marigold orange. Plants are early flowering and grow about 14 in. high. Foliage is without odor. Nice in beds and borders.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

**2365 Mayling** Rich, buttery, golden primrose flowers 3 in. and more across, the petals being incurved practically their entire length and daintily fringed on edges. Foliage without odor. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

**2364 Oriole** Bright golden yellow, carnation-like flowers  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, with petals loose and tilted. Plants grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall and produce their blooms on long stems above the odorless foliage.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

**2314 Special Mixture** of the collarette, carnation and chrysanthemum flowered types in all colors from the deepest orange to the lightest yellow; foliage is free of odor. Grow 20 to 30 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85¢

## BURPEE'S CARNATION MARIGOLDS WITH ODORLESS FOLIAGE

**2163 Special Mixture** Deep orange, golden orange, golden yellow, canary-yellow, and primrose flowers of carnation-like form in a magnificent mixture. Highly desirable for garden decoration and cut-flowers. Free blooming plants 20 to 30 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

# Burpee's Hybrid Marigolds

## 2271 Burpee's Red and Gold Hybrids

Hybrids between African and French marigolds. Flowers are exceedingly double,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across, some are solid red while others are delightful combinations of red and gold. The color varies with the season—at times it becomes almost pure golden yellow and at other times a bright, rich mahogany-scarlet. The bushy, upright plants grow  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, 2 ft. wide; come into flower in 8 weeks from seed and continue to bear profusely and continuously until frost. Especially suited for borders and beds; highly prized for cut-flowers and exhibition. Burpee's Hybrid Marigolds, all Odorless Foliaged Marigolds and many other varieties of marigolds were created by Burpee on Floradale Farms. Quite a number of our originations are All-America prize winners.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

## 2238 Burpee's Wildfire

Single fertile hybrids between the African and French marigolds. Large single flowers, 2 to 3 in. across, in a full range of colors found in the French type, including many of the most amazing and bizarre patterns and markings. Colors include bright scarlet, deep orange, golden orange, golden, mahogany and yellow. On some plants the color changes from flower to flower. Plants vary in height from 14 to 20 in. Flower shapes vary too. Wildfire comes into bloom within 8 weeks from seed and continues to flower profusely until killed by frost. Ideal for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢



2271  
Burpee's  
Red and Gold  
Hybrid Marigold  
Pkt. 50¢



# Burpee's Single French Marigolds

With the introduction of these improved Burpee varieties, more gardeners have planted single marigolds than ever before. They are far superior to old-fashioned kinds; flowers are larger, brighter and richer colored. Plants are earlier and more profuse blooming. Each of our three dwarf varieties is an All-America Winner.

## Dwarf Single French

**2285 Red Head** The striking single flowers, 2 in. across are made up of a crested center composed of many tiny, erect golden petals edged maroon and surrounded by a single row of broad, overlapping, gracefully recurved petals which open a rich mahogany changing to auburn and later to attractive shades of bronze and gold. Plants are vigorous growers forming a compact mound 12 in. tall and up to 20 in. across. Showy in beds and borders; useful for cutting. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**2352 Flash** Gay and cheerful single flowers, 1 3/4 in. and more across, in a bright combination of colors which range from vivid red through bronze with a few yellows to give a harmonious contrast. In most of the flowers a base color of tangerine is overlaid or marked with rich marigold-red. Valuable for edgings, borders, beds and cutting. Early and profuse blooming. Grows 18 in. high. *All-America Silver Medal Winner.*  
**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**2351 Naughty Marietta** Wide open, single flowers, 2 1/2 in. across; rich golden yellow attractively blotched maroon at the base of the petals. They are freely borne on compact plants 1 ft. tall; gay subjects for beds, borders and edgings. Early and continuous bloomer. *All-America Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## Tall Single French

**2283 Flaming Fire** Long-stemmed single flowers, 2 in. across, varying in color according to season. At times they are flaming red and at other times they are of many patterns of red and yellow. Fine for cutting, beds, or borders. Grow 2 ft. tall; bloom early and continue until frost.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢



Dwarf Single French Marigold

2285 Red Head Pkt. 25¢

# Dwarf Double French Marigolds

Exquisite blooms, 1 1/4 to 2 in. across, in orange, yellow and mahogany, as well as combinations of these colors. All French Marigolds, tall and dwarf growing, should be grown in soil that is not overly rich, otherwise plants may produce an over-abundance of foliage and a scarcity of flowers. 6 to 15 in. tall according to variety.

**2370 Butterball** Small canary-yellow, scabiosa-like flowers, 1 1/4 in. across, with crested centers, completely cover the compact, bushy plants. Grow 8 in. tall. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2222 Harmony** Flowers, 1 1/4 in. across, with fluted, deeply cut golden orange center petals and reddish brown outer ones. 1 ft.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**2369 Melody** Harmony type flowers, 1 1/4 in. across, of a clear, self golden orange throughout. Plants grow 12 to 15 in. tall, bloom early and continuously. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2175 Orange Flame** Striking combination of colors. The flowers, 1 1/2 in. across, have a single row of reddish maroon outer petals while the crest in the center is bright golden orange. 8 in.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**2188 Robert Beist** Deep, velvety mahogany-red fully double flowers, 1 1/2 in. across are freely borne on plants 1 ft. high.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**2301 Scarlet Glow** Brightest red of all Dwarf Double French Marigolds. Flowers open deep scarlet and as they age turn to a rich tangerine color. They are fully double, 1 1/4 to 2 in. across, and borne profusely on dwarf, bushy plants which reach a height of 10 in. They begin to bloom in 10 weeks and continue to flower profusely without interruption until frost. *All-America Winner.*  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**2304 Spry** Most profuse blooming of all Dwarf Double French Marigolds. Flowers are double, with bright yellow, pin-cushion center crests surrounded by several rows of mahogany-red guard petals. They grow 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 in. across and completely cover the tiny plants, which come into bloom in less than 9 weeks from seed and continue until frost. 9 in. tall. *All-America Silver Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2381 Sunkist** Plants grow 6 to 8 in. high and are covered from early in the summer until frost with attractive deep orange flowers, 1 1/2 to 2 in. across. *All-America Silver Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2164 Yellow Pygmy** Sparkling, light lemon-yellow flowers, 1 1/4 in. across are freely borne above the little, bushy plants which grow 6 in. high. Wonderful for edgings, borders and ideally suited for a striking display in beds. Entire plants, if cut, make an excellent bouquet. Resemble tiny chrysanthemums. *All-America Winner.*  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2206 Burpee's Best Mixture** Special blend of unusual colors; choicest varieties, self-colored, spotted, tigered and striped. Unsurpassed for beds or borders and highly desirable for cutting.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**2190 Dwarf Double French, Mixed** Many of the varieties here listed and others in a good mixture of colors and markings.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

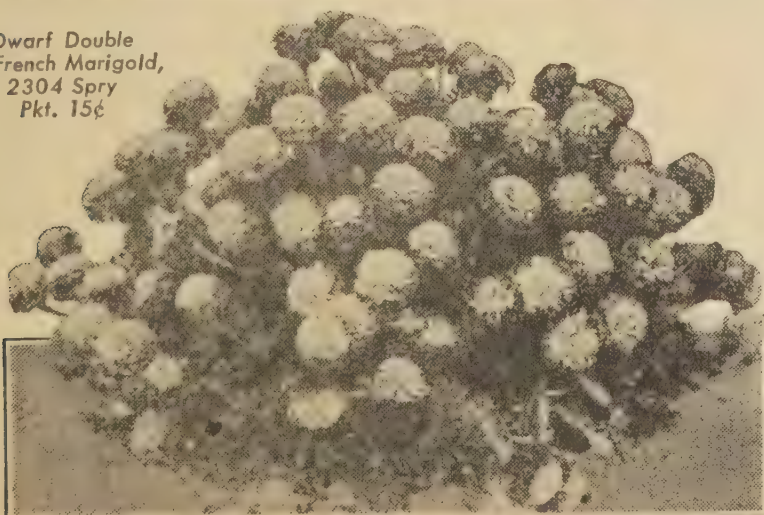
## Four Dwarf Double French Marigolds

For a striking display in beds, borders and edgings this assortment of marigolds is hard to beat.

**Orange Flame, Scarlet Glow, Spry and Yellow Pygmy**

**7684**—4 pkts., one each of these four separate, distinct named varieties, value 65¢ for only **50¢**

Dwarf Double French Marigold, 2304 Spry Pkt. 15¢





# Burpee's Tall Double Annual LARKSPURS



2267 Burpee Wonder Larkspur, White Pkt. 25¢

One of the most beautiful and desirable flowers for the garden and cutting. Easily raised, quick growers, and very free flowering; produce a wealth of large, double blooms on long, attractive spikes. Even the deep green, finely divided foliage is pretty when plants are not yet in bloom. The culture of annual larkspur is quite easy. Plants do best in a sunny position in rich, well-drained garden soil free from fresh manure. They like cool weather in which to germinate and to grow best. We offer your choice of four distinct types.

Perennial Larkspurs, see Delphinium, page 51.

## Burpee Wonder—Erect, "unusually long spikes

The distinctive feature of these new annual larkspurs is their habit of growth. Strong, upright spikes are produced from the base, presenting a solid, erect, column-like appearance, the upper one-third being covered with large double flowers, 1½ in. across. These extremely long-stemmed larkspurs are especially desirable for all cut-flower purposes and a row of them in the garden is most striking. They grow about 3½ ft. tall and stand heat remarkably well. We offer three splendid colors.

- 2125 **Dark Blue** Deep rich velvety blue. 2267 **White** Well-formed, glistening white flowers of wonderful purity.  
2134 **Salmon** Exquisite salmon-rose.

Any of the above 3 named Burpee Wonder Larkspurs:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢

- 2135 **Mixed Colors** The three lovely varieties of Burpee Wonder larkspurs, dark blue, salmon and white in a grand mixture. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

## Double Stock Flowered—Branching type

Splendid old garden favorite, greatly improved by careful selection for doubleness and size of flowers, new colors and better habit of growth. The stately plants are well branched, and produce many fine spikes closely set with brightly colored, large, double blooms. Showy in beds and borders; lovely for cutting. 3 to 4 ft. tall.

- 2132 **Azure Blue (Ageratum Blue)** 2123 **Mauve Beauty** Mid-mauve.  
2127 **Sky Blue** Very bright tone. 2139 **Rosamond** Pure rose.  
2136 **Blue Velvet** Deep velvety blue. 2268 **White** Nice alone or with others.  
2138 **Carmine (Newport Pink)** 2124 **Mixed Colors** All the double stock flowered branching larkspurs blended in a beautiful mixture.  
2233 **Lilac Improved** Charming.  
2236 **Los Angeles** Salmon-rose.

Any of the above Double Stock Flowered Branching Larkspurs:

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢

## Giant Imperial—Grow upright like delphiniums

Attractive flower-spikes, 3 to 4 ft. tall, which stand upright, close to the center stalk—a decided improvement on older spreading types especially where space is limited. Well-formed, large, double flowers.

- 2121 **Blue Bell** Light azure-blue. 2167 **Lilac Spire Improved** Appealing shade of silvery lilac.  
2166 **Dark Blue Spire** Intense. 2129 **Los Angeles Improved** Luminous salmon-rose.  
2165 **Carmine King** Brilliant. 2008 **Ruby** Genuine ruby red.  
2126 **Daintiness** Soft lavender. 2157 **White King** Pure white.  
2131 **Dazzler Improved** Deep bright carmine-red. Quite sunproof.  
2153 **Mixed Colors** Special mixture of above and other varieties.

Any of the above Giant Imperial Larkspurs:

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

### Six Giant Imperial Larkspurs

Blue Bell, Dark Blue Spire, Carmine King, White King, Lilac Spire Improved and Los Angeles Improved

7747—6 pkts., one each of these 6 varieties, value 90¢ for only **75¢**

## Early Giant Hyacinth Flowered

Blooms much earlier than other tall larkspurs. Non-branching, each plant produces one big, hyacinth-like spike, broad at the base and tapering towards the top, thickly studded with perfect double blooms to a length of 18 to 20 in. Spikes are enormous, many rivaling delphiniums. 3 to 4 ft.

- 2245 **Dark Blue** Deep blue. 2118 **Royalty** Outstanding for its clear rosy mauve color.  
2246 **Lilac** Soft rich tone of lilac.  
2247 **Pink** Favorite for cutting. 2249 **White** Well-formed spikes.

Any of the above Early Giant Hyacinth Flowered Larkspurs:

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

- 2156 **Mixed Colors** The above five splendid colors nicely blended. **SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 60¢



2153 Giant Imperial Larkspur, Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢



# Burpee's *New* Giant SKYSCRAPER SNAPDRAGONS

Burpee's New Giant Skyscraper Snapdragons were created on Floradale Farms after eight years of breeding, selection and reselection to produce a race of antirrhinums that would far surpass all others in height, and would also have more flowers per stem, the stems more upright, more rigid and the blooms of the most pleasing shades.

Burpee's Giant Skyscrapers are the tallest growing of all snapdragons. Plants are base branching, with from 3 to 7 strong stems arising from the main stem close to the ground. The central spike grows 3 ft. and more tall followed by the lateral stems of the same or nearly the same height.

Giant Skyscraper Snapdragon spikes are very symmetrical, half or more than half the height of the entire plant is covered with flowers and buds. Each flower is large, held upright and away from the main stem to give a graceful and airy appearance. Though covered with a profusion of bloom, spikes are not coarse or weighty but most refined.

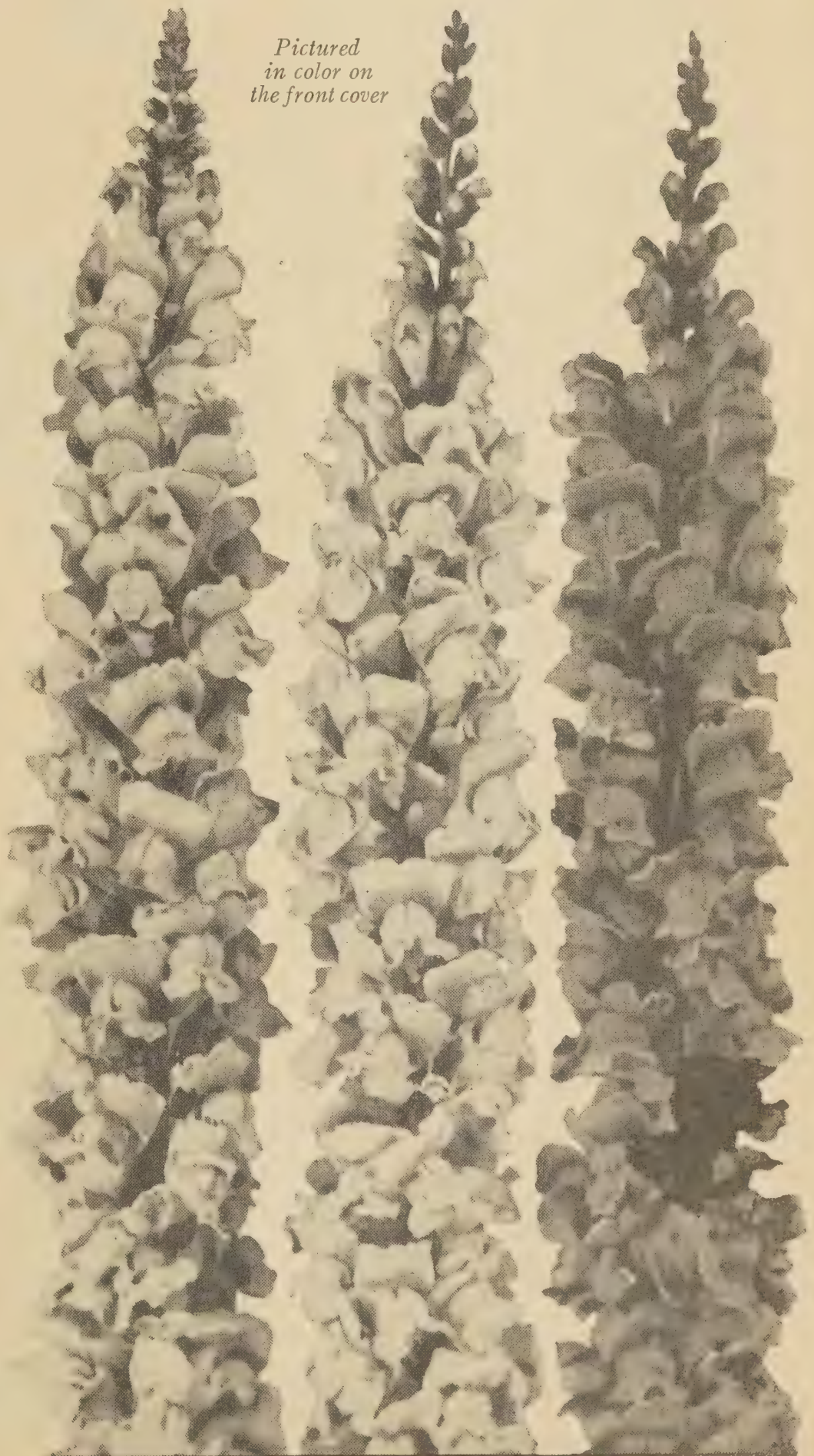
Giant Skyscraper Snapdragons come in a glorious blend of colors, mostly the softer shades,—sulphur-yellow, primrose-yellow, canary yellow, sulphur-yellow flushed pink, golden yellow with rose tube, apple-blossom-pink, light rose-pink, mid-rose, rose flushed golden, pink delilah, creamy white, creamy white flushed pink with an occasional rosy orange, rosy bronze or a delicate lavender. Space permits our showing only a few of these lovely colors on the front cover.

Skyscraper Snapdragons, whether in the garden or in cut-flower arrangements, are equally striking for their distinctive beauty.

**1550 Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢;  
2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00**

Taller, more erect and sturdier growing with more flowers per stem than any other snapdragon. The picture below gives an idea of the amazing length of the blooming, spire-like stems.

*Pictured  
in color on  
the front cover*



## SNAPDRAGONS

(botanically antirrhinums) have always been universal favorites for color in the garden, in the greenhouse during the winter, and as cut flowers. Of easiest culture, succeeding best in rich or moderately rich soil—in full sun or semi-shade. The gorgeous flowers are freely produced for several months, and until frost where conditions are favorable. Sow seeds outdoors when soil has become quite warm; for earlier blooms sow indoors six weeks before your regular outdoor planting time. Full cultural directions are printed on every packet. Best treated as annuals, although they are biennials in sections having mild winters.



# Burpee's Double Snapdragons

The first giant, alldouble snapdragons ever grown from seed. Flowers are spectacular, not only for size but for their unusual and amazing formation. They are quite large,  $1\frac{3}{4}$  in. across and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. deep when well grown. The upper lip broadens and recurves gracefully. From the rounded portion of the lower lip there is a protruding flare which is slightly frilled. Between the lips, extending out from the throat, are several small, wavy accessory petals which add grace, charm and refinement, as well as surprise, to an already handsome flower of quality.

**ORIGINATED ON BURPEE'S  
FLORADALE SEED FARMS**

1612  
Lemonade  
Pkt. 50¢;  
2 pkts. 95¢

1610  
Burpee Double  
Pkt. 35¢;  
2 pkts. 65¢

## 1612 LEMONADE — New for 1949

Immense, double, clear primrose-yellow flowers nicely placed on long, strong stems, the central one growing 3 ft. tall and blooming ahead of the laterals, three to five of which arise from the main stems close to the ground. Frequently, the flower-spikes are more than half the height of the plants so that a planting attracts immediate attention. Lemonade is truly a wonderful double snapdragon for cutting and garden decoration. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25

## 1610 BURPEE DOUBLE

Flowers are rich, deep golden yellow throughout, except for the back of the buds which are flushed with rose-pink. When fully open, the pink coloring disappears entirely. Some flowers have a delicate, spicy fragrance. The central spike grows about 28 in. tall and flowers first, followed by many lateral branches. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢

1608  
Floradale Double  
Pkt. 40¢;  
2 pkts. 75¢

## 1608 FLORADALE DOUBLE

Formation of the flowers is similar to Burpee Double, perhaps more double and several shades lighter in color—a clear, soft Dresden yellow. On the unopened buds there is a pale rosy blush which disappears as soon as they open. Grows  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 3 pkts. \$1.00

### Three Double Snapdragons

Lemonade, Burpee Double  
and Floradale Double

7554—3 pkts., one each of these 3 separate  
named varieties, value \$1.25 for only \$1

### New Type of Single Snapdragons

1525 Burpee's Fairy Rose is different from all other snapdragons—the flowers are smaller and more sprightly, stems slender with more of them produced on a plant. It has great appeal for garden use and cutting, especially where a light, airy, graceful effect is desired.

Plants, at first, are bushy and compact, but later spread 16 to 30 in. across depending on soil and climate thus producing numerous, erect spikes, 2 ft. tall, studded with slim, crisp flowers, 2 in. long and 1 in. across at the flare of lower lip. The general color of the standard is rose bengal; the rounded portion of the lower lip is sulphur-yellow which softly suffuses the standard and the flare of the lower lip to create a delicate shade of apricot. Distinct new beauty in color as well as form.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.00



1525 Burpee's Fairy Rose Snapdragon Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢



# Tall Giant Snapdragons

(*Antirrhinum maximum*)

Magnificent flower-spikes 2 to 3 ft. tall outdoors, the upper 10 to 12 in. of which are thickly studded with gorgeous blooms of exquisite form. Highly prized for planting in solid beds or borders. Invaluable for cutting. Plants will grow 4 ft. and more tall under glass during the winter, depending on climate, planting dates, growing conditions and the care given them.

1580  
Burpee's  
Velvet Giant  
Snapdragon  
Pkt. 25¢

## RUST-RESISTANT VARIETIES

Plants are base branching, each plant producing 8 to 18 long, graceful spikes covered with large flowers. Foliage is clean, healthy and resistant to rust-disease. Will provide excellent flowers for garden display and cutting.

**2998 Artistic** Most appealing, rosy pink brightened by a pure glistening white tube.

**2999 Campfire** Distinct shade of bronzy crimson with yellow lip and carmine tube.

**2262 Copper Shades** Fashionable art shades of coppery reds and bronze tones.

**3000 Loveliness** Attractive, pure soft rose-pink tone of unusual brilliance. Lovely.

**2258 Pink Shades** Many charming variations from deep rose to light pink. Showy.

**2263 Red Cross** Deep crimson with pure white tube. Striking color contrast.

**2259 Snow Giant** White, faintly spotted yellow on upper lip. Charming combination.

**2260 Yellow Giant** Soft canary-yellow with a white tube. Exquisite coloring.

Any of the above:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

### Five Rust-Resistant Tall Giant Snapdragons

Artistic, Campfire, Loveliness, Snow Giant and Yellow Giant

7641—5 pkts., one of each, value \$1.25 only **85¢**

**2265 Mixed Colors, Rust-Resistant** Carefully blended mixture of the best colors.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/16 oz. 50¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

## REGULAR VARIETIES

**1721 Canary Bird** Rich canary-yellow in contrast to the glistening white tube.

**1713 Orchid** Bright mauve-lavender, the lovely shade of some cattleya orchids. Tube is a slightly deeper lavender tone.

**1702 Ruby** Decidedly striking and most pleasing color of glowing ruby red. Pretty.

**1716 Snowflake** Soft creamy white. A great favorite. Strong, upright spikes.

**1718 Wallflower** Deep coppery crimson with distinct, dark wine-red tube.

**1719 Mixed Colors** Superb blend of choice varieties to make up a wide assortment of the most appealing colors.

Any of the above:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 80¢

**7620—3 Giant Tall Rust-Resistant Snapdragons**—Yellow, Pink and Red—one pkt. of each  
**SPECIAL:** 3 pkts. in all, value 75¢ as advertised, for only 10¢

## Burpee's Velvet Giant

**1580** An outstanding, vigorous growing snapdragon, 2½ ft. tall, individual plants producing 6 to 12 towering spikes each filled with many nicely placed flowers which are larger than the other regular or diploid varieties here listed. A velvety texture adds richness to the deep crimson blooms while an undertone of orange-bronze showing through the crimson lightens up the color and gives it life. Long stems make Velvet Giant a top-notch antirrhinum for cutting and garden decoration, as well as for exhibition purposes.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

# Large Flowered Semi-Tall Snapdragons

Plants attain a height of about 15 in. in the garden, except Rosalie which grows 2½ ft. Long, dense spikes of exquisite blooms almost as large as those of the above giant types. Excellent for beds, borders and cutting.

**1516 Bertha Baur** Light mauvy lavender shaded a much deeper lavender with mauve-purple tube. Unusual color. Sturdy.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**1535 Cheviot Maid Supreme** Lovely, deep rose-pink flowers nicely placed on strong spikes. Early to bloom. A most effective and desirable color for cutting.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1539 Kirkwood Beauty** Bright glowing bronze; tube is deep self rose-pink. Beautiful combination of colors. Splendid.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1698 Lucky Strike** Extra fine, large creamy white flowers of perfect form are freely borne on long, strong spikes.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**1562 Rosalie** Plants are base branching and produce from 6 to 8 long spikes filled with large, deep rose flowers enlivened with an underlying tone of topaz or amber. The foliage is highly immune to rust-disease. Taller than others in this group,—2½ ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1761 Royal Rose** Warm deep rose overlaid with a decidedly beautiful, lustrous, velvety sheen like that of a rose.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1919 Velvet Beauty** Deep but vivid crimson-red enriched with a velvety sheen. Heavy sturdy spikes. Well named.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1740 White Rock** Large, pure white. An extra choice early blooming variety.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1552 Yellow Perfection** An exceptionally bright clear golden yellow that is particularly rich and beautiful.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**3008 Finest Mixed, Rust-Resistant** Flowers are large, well formed and nearly all are open at the one time. Spikes in full bloom are truly magnificent. When well grown, the individual flowers are so nicely arranged that there are no unsightly gaps between them. Foliage is highly resistant to rust. Choice assortment of colors.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1549 Mixed Colors** A glorious mixture of the best semi-tall large varieties.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 35¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

### 7559 BURPEE'S SNAPDRAGON GARDEN

Best six varieties of the Semi-Tall type for garden and cutting

Bertha Baur (lavender)  
Cheviot Maid Supreme (pink)  
Kirkwood Beauty (bronze)  
Lucky Strike (creamy white)  
Velvet Beauty (deep crimson)  
Yellow Perfection

6 pkts. in all, six different and desirable colors, value \$1.80 for only **\$1**

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# Burpee's

# Tetra Snaps



1576 Burpee's Tetra Snaps, Superfine Mixture Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 3 pkts. 60¢

**1576 Tetra Snaps, Superfine Mixture** Every color known in this glorious flower, plus some new ones. There are shades and variations of bright orange, light orange, peach-orange, rose-orange, bronzy yellow, golden yellow, canary yellow, yellow-flecked red, antique bronze, reddish bronze, orchid, scarlet-tipped yellow, scarlet, crimson, pinks from apple-blossom to deep rose, pink-flushed yellow, pink and white combination, pure white and others of harmonious tone blendings; a most unusual mixture. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 3 pkts. 60¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.50

## Giant Ruffled

## Tetraploid Snapdragons

Tetra Snaps are a new "scientific" creation—a group of snapdragons originated through the treatment of the best regular or diploid varieties with colchicine—a drug or chemical derived from the bulbs of fall crocus.

Flowers 2 to 2½ in. deep and 1¾ to 2¼ in. wide, many distinctly and attractively ruffled. Plants are strong and husky, with glossy, dark green foliage, thick and almost leathery in texture; the stems are quite thick. Under general field conditions the central spikes grow 2 to 2½ ft. in height; these are surrounded by lateral spikes of lesser height. Plants are base branching so that long-stemmed flowers are assured for cutting, and having good substance adds greatly to their keeping value in garden or when cut.

Genetically, Tetra Snaps are known as tetraploid snapdragons for, when examined under the microscope, they have twice the number of chromosomes in their cells as regular or diploid snapdragons—we call them tetra snaps for short.

**1513 Tetra Orchid** Rich shade of orchid-purple prettily marked with a sulphur-yellow blotch on lower lip. The massive spikes of large, closely placed, wide open flowers make a most impressive showing in beds and borders, or when used as cut-flower subjects. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢

## MAJESTIC SNAPDRAGONS

### Semi-Tall Giant Flowered

Plants are compact and bushy, 18 to 24 in. high, and bear many massive, hyacinth-like spikes closely set with flowers as large as those of the Tall Giant type. The spikes are borne well above the foliage, the central one being slightly taller than the others. All are sturdy, upright and strong. Ideal for beds, borders, cut flowers and pots.

### Five Majestic Snapdragons

Avalanche, Eldorado, Purple King,  
Rosamond and Royal Gold

**7553**—5 pkts., one each of these five named varieties, for a grand showing in beds and borders with plenty for cutting, value \$1.25 for only **95¢**

- 1704 Avalanche** Attractive large, white blooms; heavy spikes.
- 1548 Eldorado** Deep golden yellow. Lovely color for cutting.
- 1565 Purple King** Unusual shade of cattleya-purple. Striking.
- 1541 Rosamond** Glorious rose-pink delicately suffused salmon.
- 2970 Royal Gold** Golden orange beautifully overlaid salmon.
- 1731 All Colors Mixed** All of the above and other desirable Majestic Snapdragons in a colorful mixture for a grand display.

Any of the above Majestic Snapdragons:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00





Burpee's

*Tetra Snaps*

GIANT RUFFLED SNAPDRAGONS  
Tetraploid

1576 Burpee's **Tetra Snaps** are the largest flowered of all snapdragons, 2 to 2½ in. deep and 1¾ to 2¼ in. wide, many distinctly and attractively ruffled; every color seen in this glorious flower, plus some new ones, are included in this Superfine Mixture. There are unusual shades and variations, rare combinations of colors, and harmonious tone blendings that are truly remarkable. Plants are base branching, the central spikes 2½ ft. in height. Wonderful for garden and cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.50



# Burpee's Improved Wilt Resistant

## GIANT CREGO ASTERS

3031  
CRIMSON

7762—5 BEST COLORS, one pkt. each of the 5 named, giant flowered varieties pictured on this page, 5 pkts. in all, value 75¢ for only **50¢**

Separate varieties: Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45¢

3037 All Colors Mixed Well-balanced blend of all those shown and others for a grand display. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75¢

3032  
SHELL PINK

3039  
AZURE BLUE

3036 WHITE

3034  
DEEP ROSE



# Burpee's Beautiful ASTERS

Asters are easy to grow. They prefer rich, well-drained soil and a warm, sunny location. For earliest blooms, sow seed indoors in boxes or seed-pans four to six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Set plants in the garden when weather gets warm. A continuous display of flowers from early summer until frost can be had by planting extra early, early and midseason blooming varieties. Asters are wonderful for cutting.

\* Varieties marked with an asterisk (\*) are the Wilt-Resistant Strain. They are highly immune to "Wilt disease" or "Stem-rot."

## Burpee's Extra Early Asters

These very early flowering varieties begin to bloom in about 14 weeks after seed is sown—long before most other asters begin to bud. Extreme earliness and good cutting stems make them a most welcome type of aster for the home gardener and the florist. All created by Burpee on Floradale Farms.

**1607 Heavenly Blue** New for 1949 Large, feathery Crego-like flowers, 4 in. and more across, of an exquisite azure-blue color, the smaller petals curling over the center. Plants grow 2 ft. tall, bloom early with stems up to 16 in. long.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**1605 Early Bird** First flowers appear very early and the plants will continue to produce their colorful carmine-rose flowers for several weeks. Blooms are double, 3 1/2 in. across, with the petals evenly placed to form a most symmetrical flower. Plants grow 15 in. and more high and branch freely.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**1603 Navy Blue** Giant flowered aster; rather close in form to that of the Giant Crego type. The flowers are large, about 4 in. in diameter, with long ribbon-like, beautifully curled, twisted and interlaced petals of a rich, luminous, deep velvety purple-blue color. Plants grow about 20 in. tall. Attractive.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3087 Violet Glory** Deep purple-violet flowers, 3 to 3 1/2 in. across with the center incurving petals displaying a silvery sheen. Plants are of open, spreading habit, 1 1/2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

### Four Extra Early Asters

7760—4 pkts., one each of the above 4 named separate varieties, value \$1.00 for only **75¢**

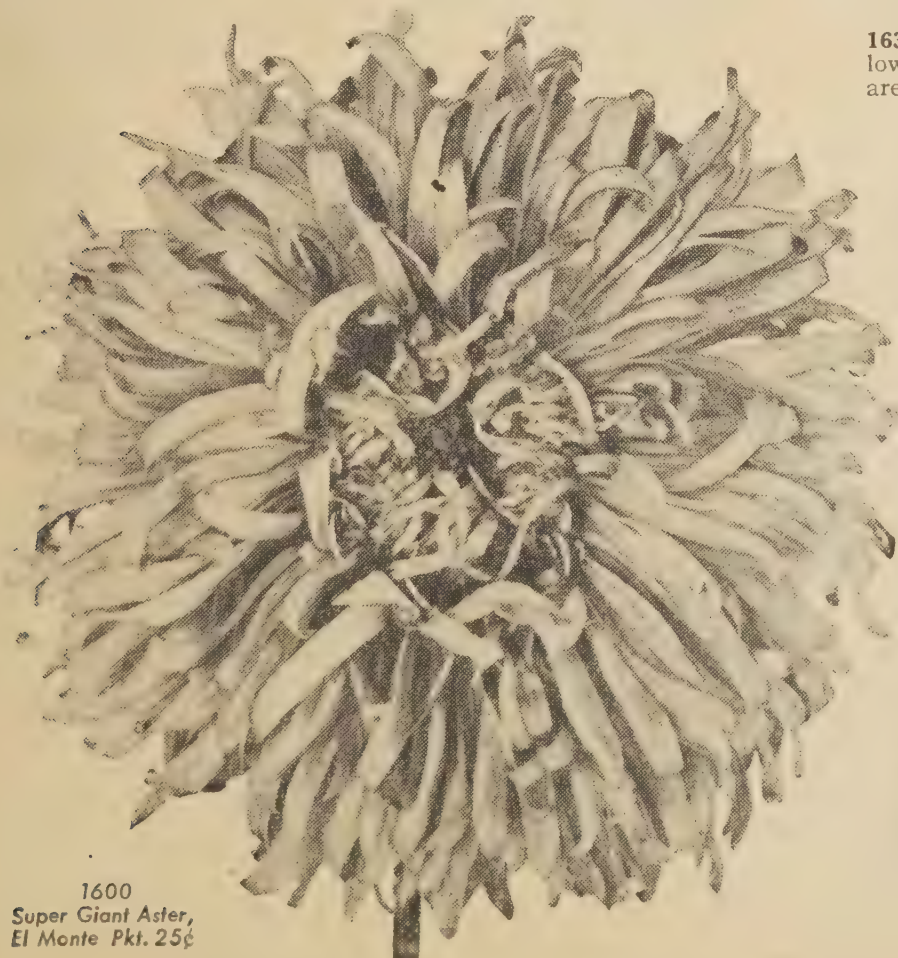


1607 Extra Early Aster, Heavenly Blue Pkt. 25¢

## Asters on Parade

**1606 Best Giants Mixed** Special blend of all the best colors of giant flowering asters, including American Beauty, California Giants, El Monte, Giant Branching, Improved Giant Crego, Peach Blossom, Peerless, and others.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00



1600  
Super Giant Aster,  
El Monte Pkt. 25¢

## Peerless Asters

**3048 Peerless Pink\*** Almost globular, 4 in., shell-pink flowers freely borne on strong stems from midseason until frost. The long, strong stems and the delicately colored flowers make this variety most popular for cutting. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**1631 Peerless Yellow** Soft, pleasing shade of light yellow. Plants branch freely and grow 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall; blooms are produced most profusely from midseason until frost.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### 7694 BURPEE'S ASTER GARDEN

Flowers from extra early in the summer until frost; wide range of colors.

10 pkts.—one regular size packet each of:

**American Beauty** Red, White and Blue

**Heart of France** (deep ruby-red)

**Improved Giant Crego** Shell Pink, Enchantress (salmon-rose) and Violet

**Early Bird**, extra early; carmine-rose

**Giant Branching** All Colors Mixed

**Pompon** All Colors Mixed

10 pkts. in all, 6 different and desirable types, value \$1.65 for only **\$1**

## Super Giant Asters

THE LARGEST OF ALL

**1600 El Monte** Deep glowing crimson blooms composed of daintily interlaced, plume-like petals. The huge flowers are borne on unusually heavy, non-lateral, base-branching stems and are produced quite early, beginning in August and continuing until late in the season. The largest of all asters, resembling California Giants. 2 1/2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

See next two pages for other Asters . . 17



\*indicates wilt-resistant strain



3042 Giant Branching Aster, Sensation\* Pkt. 15¢

## Pompon Asters

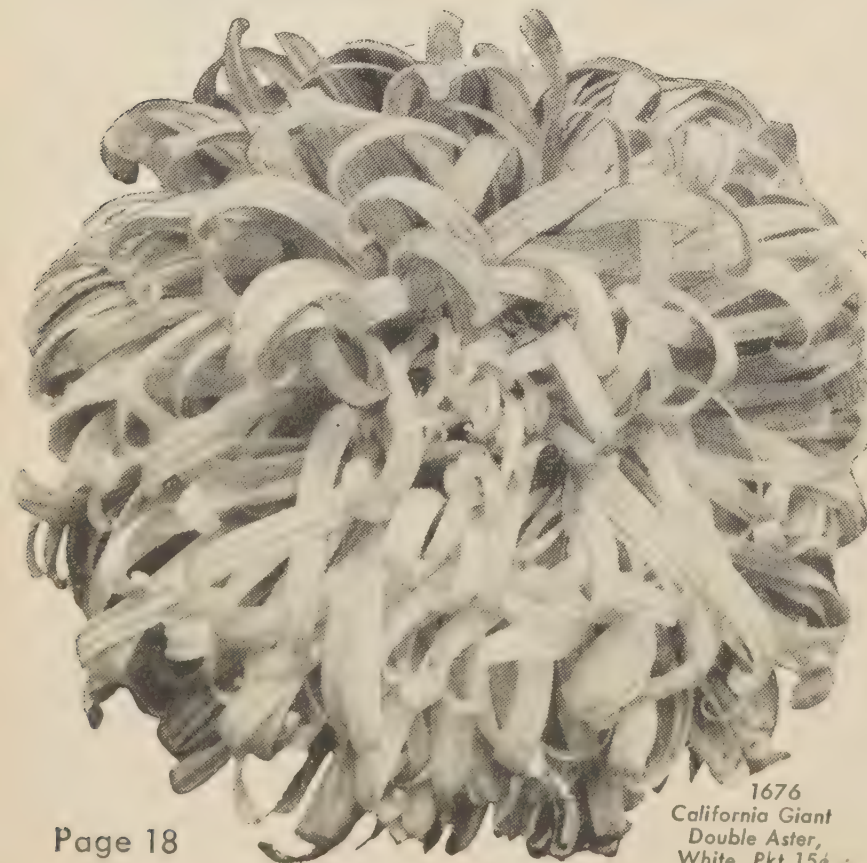
Charming, rather early blooming type. The plants are of upright, somewhat compact growth, about 15 in. tall, and lend themselves admirably to bedding, cutting and pot culture. The small, round pompon flowers have a few rows of short, broad outer petals, while the center petals are attractively quilled.

- 3088 **Blackish Blue** Darkest blue aster in this group.
- 1634 **Light Blue, White Center** Nice contrast of colors.
- 1624 **Crimson** Rich satiny crimson of unusual beauty.
- 1626 **Rose** Brilliant rose; a favorite for garden and cutting.
- 1627 **Fiery Scarlet** Showy, vivid, dazzling scarlet.
- 1632 **White** Pure white. Nice alone or with the others.
- 1633 **All Colors Mixed** Choice mixture of above colors.

Any of the above Pompon Asters:  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

### Six Pompon Asters

7743—6 pkts., one each of the above 6 separate colors, value \$1.50 for only **\$1.25**



1676  
California Giant  
Double Aster,  
White Pkt. 15¢

## Giant Branching <sup>Wilt-Resistant</sup> ASTERS

Also known as American, Semple's or Vick's Branching

From midsummer until frost these asters will produce a profusion of beautiful flowers. The blooms are quite large, 3 1/2 to 4 in. across, and fully double. Plants grow 2 to 3 ft. tall and branch freely, producing stems frequently 2 ft. long, which makes them fine for cutting.

- 3043 **Azure Blue\*** Also described as dark silvery lavender.
- 3054 **Peach Blossom\*** Delicate light peach-pink and white.
- 3050 **Shell Pink\*** Attractive soft flesh pink; always wanted.
- 3049 **Purple\*** A rich glowing shade of purple; much admired.
- 3047 **Light Rose\*** Could be called deep pink; beautiful color.
- 3053 **Scarlet Rose\*** Most outstanding color; sure to attract.
- 3042 **Sensation\*** Strikingly bright scarlet; vivid and intense.
- 3051 **White\*** Wonderful form and substance; purest white.

Any of the above Giant Branching Asters:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

- 3052 **All Colors Mixed\*** A very attractive mixture of all varieties in this popular class. Showy in the garden or in bouquets.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

### Six Wilt-Resistant Giant Branching Asters

Azure Blue, Shell Pink, Purple, Light Rose, Sensation (scarlet) and White

7772—6 pkts., one each of these 6 separate colors for a glorious showing, value 90¢ for only **60¢**



1626 Pompon Aster, Rose Pkt. 25¢

## California Giant Double Asters

*Handsomely Curled and Interlaced*

California Giants combine the fluffy or feathered type of flower with the long, straight stems of the American Beauty class. The large, double flowers with long, attractively curled petals grow 5 in. and more in diameter, on stems 1 1/2 to 2 ft. long. The vigorous, freely branching plants grow 2 to 3 ft. tall and bloom profusely from late midseason until frost. Where summers are short, we suggest that you start the seeds early indoors so plants will flower before frost.

- 1726 **Apple Blossom** Beautiful shell-pink; popular.
- 1671 **Light Blue** Soft, clear azure-blue of great appeal.
- 3081 **Crimson** A rather rich showy color; full of life.
- 1670 **Peach Blossom** White flushed with delicate pink.
- 1673 **Dark Purple** An attractive shade for cutting.
- 1672 **Deep Rose** Delightful tone of dark rose-pink.
- 1676 **White** Combines well with above colors; nice alone.
- 1674 **All Colors Mixed** Marvelous blend of all colors.

Any of the above California Giant Double Asters:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### California Giant Double Asters

7768—7 pkts., one each of the above 7 colors; immense, long-stemmed flowers, value \$1.05 for only **75¢**



# Improved Giant Crego ASTERS

(Wilt-Resistant)

Also known as Giant Branching Comet

Large flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with long, ribbon-like, gracefully curled and twisted petals, giving them a lovely fluffy appearance. Long stemmed; fine for cutting. The plants are strong growing, of branching habit, 2 ft. tall and bloom in midseason. One of the favorites for all purposes.

- 3039 **Azure Blue\*** Soft, pleasing shade of light azure-blue.
- 3029 **Blue Flame\*** Bright navy blue. Excellent color.
- 3031 **Crimson\*** Rich and velvety; a striking, vivid red.
- 3080 **Enchantress\*** Charming, bright salmon-rose.
- 3038 **Peach Blossom\*** Delicate light pink and white.
- 3032 **Shell Pink\*** Soft and refined blush pink; beautiful.
- 3034 **Deep Rose\*** Always in demand; attractive color.
- 3041 **Violet\*** Very artistic, unusual purplish violet shade.
- 3036 **White\*** Splendid combined with dark colors or alone.
- 3037 **All Colors Mixed\*** Many colors, including all the above, each of which is highly immune to wilt disease.

Any of the above Improved Giant Crego Asters:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

## Five Wilt-Resistant Improved Giant Crego Asters

Azure Blue, Crimson, Shell Pink,  
Deep Rose and White

7762—5 pkts., one each of these 5 separate colors, value 75¢ for only **50¢**

## Asters of Special Merit

1641 **Early Giant Peach Blossom\*** Earlier blooming than other giant asters. Huge flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with curled and interlaced petals. Opens white flushed lavender-pink. 1 1/2 to 2 ft. Early to late midseason blooming.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3059 **Heart of France\*** Indescribably beautiful deep ruby-red blooms—large, well rounded, and fully double—borne on long stems from midseason until frost. 18 in.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

1735 **Fordhook Favorite Mixed** All the best colors of our favorite types carefully blended in a grand mixture to furnish gorgeous blooms for garden display and cutting throughout the summer and fall. A wonderful opportunity to have a choice assortment of asters at a low price.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢



3029  
Improved  
Giant  
Crego Aster,  
Blue Flame\*  
Pkt. 15¢

## Queen of the Market Asters

Plants are of open, spreading growth and branch freely near the ground, thereby giving long stems to the flowers, which are nearly round, fully double, and measure 3 in. across. What the flowers lack in size is made up in earliness. Can be had in bloom in June if the seeds are started early indoors. Plants grow 18 in. tall. These and Burpee's Extra Earlies are especially valuable in northern sections.

- 3279 **Ballet Queen\*** (New) Deep salmon-rose.
- 1688 **Blue** Dark lavender-blue. Great favorite for cutting.
- 3274 **Crimson\*** Popular for cut flowers and garden use.
- 3275 **Flesh Pink\*** Dainty and pleasing light blush pink.
- 3276 **Purple\*** Deep purple shade of charming softness.
- 1683 **Deep Rose** Rose-pink. Desirable for all purposes.
- 3277 **Scarlet\*** Vivid scarlet. Showy color of great appeal.
- 3280 **White\*** Glistening white. Combines well with others.
- 3281 **All Colors Mixed** A well-balanced color assortment.

Any of the above Queen of the Market Asters:

Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

## American Beauty Asters

Come into bloom shortly after the Giant Branching. Plants are of branching habit, vigorous, 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall, and very profuse blooming. The flowers are globular, fully double, with prettily incurved petals and grow 4 in. and more across. Noted for their unusually long stems which make them one of the best for cut-flower purposes. We offer the mid-season type which is better suited to more general planting.

- 3283 **Crimson\*** Deep rich satiny crimson.
- 3284 **Dark Lavender\*** Clear azure-blue.
- 1652 **Peach Blossom** Light lavender-pink.
- 3285 **Shell Pink\*** Also referred to as flesh pink.
- 3286 **Purple\*** Deep shade of purple.
- 3282 **Carmine Rose\*** Full of life and sparkle.
- 3289 **White\*** Pure, clear, glistening white.

Any of the above American Beauty Asters:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

3290 **All Colors Mixed\*** For cutting and garden.  
**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

## Six Wilt-Resistant American Beauty Asters

Crimson, Dark Lavender, Shell Pink,  
Purple, Carmine Rose and White

7795—6 pkts., one each of these six separate colors, value 90¢ for only **60¢**



3284

American Beauty Aster,  
Dark Lavender\* Pkt. 15¢



# Burpee Annual Flower Seeds



1504 Ageratum, Blue Cap Pkt. 25¢



1520 Sweet Alyssum Pkt. 10¢



1569 Anagallis, Mixed Colors Pkt. 10¢



1510 Anchusa, Blue Bird Pkt. 15¢

Annual flowers are those which grow, bloom, seed and die in one season. They are attractive in the garden—some for bedding, some for borders, some for rock gardens, some for climbing or trailing and others for their foliage effect only. Many are invaluable for cutting. There are annual flowers for every purpose; all are lovely and, with proper selection, blooms can be had from early summer until frost. We offer a choice assortment.

Burpee's Annual Flowers are offered on pages 2 to 47, inclusive; some of the most popular classes are listed on the preceding pages as follows:

Asters.....17, 18, 19	Marigolds.....8 to 11	Snapdragons.....13 to 16
Larkspurs.....12	Pansies.....2	Zinnias.....3 to 7

## AGERATUM—Floss Flower®

Favorite profuse blooming plants with fluffy flowers in dense heads throughout the summer and fall. In great demand for borders, edgings, rock gardens, small beds and also make nice indoor pot plants. Does well in sun or half-shade in any good soil.

**1502 Blue Ball** Compact ball-shaped plants, 6 to 8 in. tall, are covered with a profusion of handsome dark blue flowers.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1504 Blue Cap** Large, rich blue flowers in close heads cover the very dwarf, compact, dome-shaped plants. 8 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1507 Blue Perfection** Deep amethyst blue flowers almost hide the dwarf, compact plants from view. Darkest blue of all. 9 in.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1508 Imperial Dwarf Blue** Compact plants, 7 in. tall, above which stand clusters of pretty lavender-blue flowers.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1509 Imperial Dwarf White** Pure white flowers; combines well with Imperial Dwarf Blue. 7 in. tall. Superb for edgings.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1518 Midget Blue** All-America Winner. Uniformly dwarf plants, 2 to 3 in. high, covered with small, true, ageratum-blue flowers. Wonderful for low plantings.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**1505 Tall Blue** Bright azure-blue flowers are freely produced in dense clusters. Branched plants, 2 ft. tall. Nice for cutting.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1506 Tall White** Growth is the same as the Tall Blue; flowers are white. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

## SWEET ALYSSUM

Easily grown, free flowering plants; universally popular for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens, pots and window boxes. Of quick growth; in bloom from early in the summer until hard frost. Pretty alone or alternated with blue lobelia, blue ageratum or signet marigolds. Also used for growing in pots or boxes indoors during the winter.

**1521 Carpet of Snow** The pure white flowers are so freely produced as to give the impression of a white carpet. Fine for wide edgings, for while plants seldom grow over 4 in. high, they spread considerably.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢;  
1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00

**1524 Little Gem** Small white flowers completely cover the dwarf, compact plants; grow only 4 to 5 in. tall. Showy. Pkt. 10¢;

1/4 oz. 30¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**1520 Sweet (Maritimum)** Of spreading growth, averaging 8 in. in height. Pure white, honey-scented flowers completely cover the plants until late fall. Pkt. 10¢;

1/2 oz. 25¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.25

**1522 Violet Queen** Large heads of fragrant, bright, clear violet flowers, a few top center ones in the cluster being white. Free and continuous bloomer. 5 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

Perennial Alyssum, see page 48.

## ACROCLINIUM—Everlasting

**2839 Giant Mixture** Double and semi-double daisy-like flowers 2 in. across with straw petals. White, chamois, flesh color and rose in mixture. Nice to dry for winter bouquets, for which purpose cut the flowers before they are fully open. 15 in.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 80¢

## AMARANTHUS

Splendid foliage plants, 3 to 5 ft. high; ideal for backgrounds, groups or foundation plantings. Midsummer until frost.

**1579 Caudatus** (Love-lies-Bleeding or Tassel Flower) Long, slender, drooping, dark red flower spikes often in branched clusters; green foliage. Up to 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**1529 Molten Fire** Deep maroon foliage, each branch being topped fiery crimson.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**1527 Tricolor splendens** (Joseph's Coat) Rich, scarlet-crimson foliage prettily variegated yellow and bronze-green. Striking.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

## ANAGALLIS—Large Pimpernel®

**1569 Mixed Colors** Charming plants covered with 5-petaled flowers, about 1 in. across in unusual shades of lilac, scarlet, blue, brick-red and others. Effective as edgings; lovely in porch or window boxes, rock gardens and pots. 8 to 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

## ANCHUSA—Summer Forget-me-not

**1510 Blue Bird** Attractive free-flowering plants with many long stems, each topped with a cluster of clear blue forget-me-not-like blooms, with white eye. Individual flowers grow about 1/4 in. across, in graceful sprays from early summer until late fall. One of the best blue annual flowers for beds and borders. Often grown as a biennial in mild regions. 18 in. bushy plants.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 80¢

Perennial Anchusa, see page 48.

Biennials and perennials belong in every permanent garden. Grow your own plants from Burpee's seeds and save money. We offer the best varieties on pages 48 to 56.

### Explanation of Symbols used with flower varieties:

- |   |                                   |   |                                    |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Ⓒ | Especially desirable for cutting. | Ⓔ | Highly prized for rock gardens.    |
| Ⓓ | Succeeds in dry or sandy soil.    | ⓪ | Succeeds in or prefers semi-shade. |
| Ⓜ | Prefers moist, well-drained soil. | Ⓢ | For climbing on string, wire, etc. |





1766 *Arctotis, Giant Hybrids* Pkt. 25¢

## ARCTOTIS ☐

**1766 Giant Hybrids** Dwarf free-blooming plants all summer and fall with large, daisy-like flowers, 2½ to 3 in. across in white and shades of brown, russet, apricot, yellow, pink, red, terra-cotta and mauve. 10 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**1566 Grandis** (Blue-Eyed African Daisy) Silvery white flowers with delicate sky-blue eye and yellow halo. 2 to 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

## ASPARAGUS—*Asparagus Fern*

Useful as a pot plant the year 'round and for cutting to mix as "greens" among flowers. Hardy where winters are mild.

**3900 Plumosus nanus** Finely divided, rich deep green, lace-like foliage. Upright. Pkt. 25¢; 100 seeds 50¢; 200 seeds 85¢

**3902 Sprengeri** (Emerald Feather) Magnificent trailing ornamental plants with needle-like leaves on long branches; fine for hanging baskets, window boxes, etc. Pkt. 25¢; 100 seeds 50¢; 200 seeds 85¢

## BALSAM—*Lady Slipper*

Blooms throughout the summer and early fall. An old favorite for beds and borders.

### Double Camellia Flowered

**1759 All Colors Mixed** Symmetrical bushy plants, 2 to 3 ft. tall, each branch covered with fine double blooms often growing 2½ in. across. A choice mixture of pink, scarlet, white, lilac and other colors, some heavily spotted and variegated.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 75¢

### Double Flowered Dwarf

**1904 Mixed Colors** Neat little bushes, 8 in. high, with double and semi-double flowers in a wide range of pretty colors.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 75¢



1773 *Begonia, Christmas Pink* Pkt. 35¢

## BEGONIAS ○

### FIBROUS ROOTED

Ideal everblooming plants for beds, borders, pots and window boxes. Succeed in full sun as well as half-shade and withstand wet weather better than most annuals. Valuable house plants as they may be had in bloom all the year 'round. 10 to 12 in.

**1777 Carmen** (gracilis) Bright rose flowers profusely borne well above the bronzy red foliage. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢

**1772 Christmas Cheer** (semperflorens) Large, dark crimson-scarlet flowers, which often attain a diameter of 2 in., are profusely borne above the dark green foliage. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

**1773 Christmas Pink** (semperflorens) Delightful shade of warm rose-pink. Identical to Christmas Cheer except in color. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

**1776 Prima Donna** (gracilis) Rich coral-pink blooms tinted carmine; green foliage. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

**1581 Vernon** Deep red flowers; rich bronzy purple foliage. Very free blooming. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

**1784 Burpee's Special Mixture** Colorful blend of white, pink, and red varieties with both green and bronze foliage. Very select. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

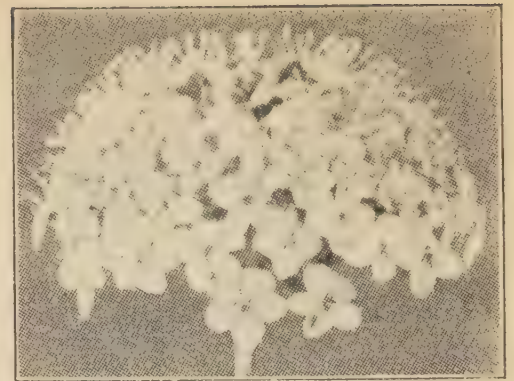
### TUBEROUS ROOTED

Unrivalled summer bedding plants; charming pot plants for many months of the year. Blooms 4 in. or more across in a wide range of colors—pink, rose, salmon, orange, crimson, and yellow; also white. Some with attractive contrasting edge. 1 ft. tall.

**3905 Single, Mixed Colors** . . . Pkt. 75¢

**3907 Double, Mixed Colors** Pkt. \$1.00

*Begonia bulbs, see page 112.*



2774 *Blue Lace Flower* Pkt. 10¢

## BLUE LACE FLOWER

*Didiscus coeruleus* ☐

**2774** Lace-like heads, 2½ in. across, of many delicate lavender-blue flowers. Plants grow 1½ ft. and more tall, doing best in cool localities. Pretty in border; lovely to cut. Pkt. 10¢; ⅓ oz. 35¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

## BALLOON VINE §

**2906** Rapid growing climber with clusters of small white flowers followed by large, inflated balloon-shaped seed-pods. 10 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

## BRACHYCOME

*Swan River Daisy* ☐

**1790 Iberidifolia Mixed** Small blue, rose, dark violet and white cineraria-like flowers in a grand mixture. Free-flowering plants 9 to 12 in. tall; in bloom nearly all summer. For edgings, rock gardens or pots. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢



1765 *Browallia, Sapphire* Pkt. 25¢

## BROWALLIA—*Amethyst*

Rich, beautiful flowers freely produced during the summer and fall. Fine for beds, borders or winter blooming in the house.

**1765 Sapphire** Neat, compact-growing plants, 10 in. tall, covered with large, dark blue, lobelia-like flowers with white eyes. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**1793 Elata Mixed** Small, bright blue and white flowers mixed. 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢



1809 *Calliopsis drummondii* Pkt. 10¢

## CALLIOPSIS—*Tall and Dwarf*

Decorative plants with finely cut foliage and gay, daisy-like flowers in a wide variation of yellow, orange and red tones. Bloom continuously from early summer until frost. Easily grown in almost any location and soil. Fine for beds, borders and cutting.

### TALL GROWING ☐

Thrifty, vigorous, profuse blooming plants with numerous flowers, many marked with bands of contrasting colors. Equally effective in beds, borders or as cut flowers.

**1809 Drummondii** (Golden Wave) Large golden-yellow flowers with a circle of reddish brown around the center are freely borne on long, wiry stems. 20 in. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢

**1574 Alldouble Mixed** Flowers are practically all double, 1 to 1½ in. across, and come in all colors and color combinations to be seen in calliopsis—delightful combinations of yellow, orange, maroon, crimson and mahogany. 3 ft. high. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**1813 Tall Mixed Colors** Contains the finest large and small-flowered tall calliopsis in a riot of colors. Showy in the garden; grand for cutting. Grow 20 to 36 in. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢

### DWARF GROWING ☐

**1814 Mixed Colors** Included in this mixture are shades of yellow and orange, mahogany-brown and crimson; many prettily marked and tigered with contrasting tones. Quick growing. Of compact growth, 9 to 12 in. high, ideal for edgings, rock gardens and short-stemmed cut flowers. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

*Perennial Calliopsis, see Coreopsis, page 52.*

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# Burpee's CALENDULAS—SCOTCH OR POT MARIGOLDS



1811 *Calendula*,  
*Orange Quills*  
Pkt. 25¢

New for 1949

**1811 Orange Quills** Beautiful, mid-orange flowers,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across of unique form. Petals open flat, curl downward at edges to form a quill as the large blooms mature. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60¢

**1798 Art Shades** Many fine colors not previously seen in calendulas—picotees, delicate shades of apricot, orange, cream, buff, etc., in a grand mixture. Fine for cutting. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60¢

**1686 Glowing Gold** Brilliant, glowing gold, loose, fluffy petaled, extra large flowers up to 4 in. across. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60¢

**1795 Golden Ball** (*Ball's Gold*) Deep golden yellow flowers with attractive lighter yellow center. Long stems. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

**1822 Lemon Giant** Immense, lemon-yellow blooms with showy dark brown-eyed center. Contrasts nicely with the deeper tones of calendulas. Fine cut-flower. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1804 Masterpiece** Massive orange flowers with a distinct reddish orange-brown center. Good substance. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1797 Orange Ball** (*Ball's Orange*) Glistening pure orange blooms of good substance. Sturdy grower. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

## Five Superb Calendulas

**Lemon Giant, Masterpiece, Orange Giant, Orange Sunshine and Sunshine**

7716—5 pkts., one each of the above 5 varieties, value 70¢ for only **50¢**

These calendulas are far superior to the old-fashioned varieties in many respects; flowers are larger, longer stemmed, fuller and of richer colors. Those offered on this page are extra large-flowered and double to the very center, except where noted. Calendulas are of easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary, well-drained soil and where summers are not too hot, plants will bloom from early summer until frost, and furnish an endless supply of long-lasting cut-flowers. Sow seed in early spring and again in early summer to furnish blooms in the cool fall days. Plants grow 15 to 24 in. tall, depending on the variety.

## Five Improved Calendulas

**Art Shades, Glowing Gold, Orange Fluffy, Sensation and Yellow Colossal**

7715—5 pkts., one each of these 5 separate named varieties of calendulas, value \$1.05 for only **75¢**

**1691 Orange Beauty** Blooms are large, measuring  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. and more across, of curved loose petal formation, and freely borne on long stems. The color is a bright deep orange, the inner petals curling over the lighter center. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60¢

**1824 Orange Fantasy** Long, twisted outer petals and short curled inner petals. Deep bronzy or coppery orange with mahogany-bronze center. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1687 Orange Fluffy** The general color of the flowers is a bright mid-orange, intensified by a prominent jet-black eye. Flowers grow  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, semi-double, with the petals becoming shorter towards center. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60¢

**1785 Orange Giant** Immense rich orange flowers with lighter center make them especially fine for cutting. Long-stemmed. Robust grower. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1820 Orange Sunshine** Flowers are light orange and have a loose petal formation; outer petals are long and curled, center ones incurved. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1791 Sensation** (*Campfire*) Brilliant orange, flat flowers with decided crimson-scarlet sheen and somewhat open, small center. Especially showy. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1787 Sunshine** Strong-stemmed, chrysanthemum-like, golden canary-yellow blooms with long, curled outer petals and incurved center petals. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

**1808 Tip Top** Light apricot with a decided silvery sheen, the outer petals attractively tipped with apricot-orange. Pleasing color tone. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

**1734 Yellow Colossal** Huge, double, clear, bright yellow flowers,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. and more across. In addition to being the biggest, Yellow Colossal is the most profuse blooming of all large-flowered calendulas. Curved petals. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1573 Yellow Shaggy** Flowers grow 3 in. across and almost as thick; bright clear yellow with a lighter yellow center. The petals being quilled and deeply cut on the ends, give the flowers a shaggy appearance. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1805 All Varieties Mixed** Blend of yellow and orange calendulas. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50¢

**1807 Giant Double Mixed** Largest flowered varieties, all best colors mixed in such proportions as to give a beautiful effect wherever used. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

## CANDYTUFT—Iberis

Well-known, dwarf, profuse flowering plants of easy culture. Charming for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens and cutting. Comes into flower quickly. For a continuous display throughout the season, make several sowings 2 to 3 weeks apart. All varieties of candytuft do best in sections where summers are cool.

**1816 Giant Hyacinth Flowered** ☐ The plants are much branched, each branch a massive, long and thick hyacinth-like spike of pure white. Showy and attractive. 1 ft. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢

**1819 Little Prince** ☐ Dainty hyacinth-like spikes of pure white on dwarf plants, 6 in. high. A foremost variety for edging beds and borders; useful as pot-plants and highly desirable for the rock garden. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

## Umbellata Candytuft ☐

Umbel or umbrella-shaped flower heads made up of many small flowers cover the dwarf bushy plants, which grow 1 ft. tall. If you live in a section where summers are hot, sow the seeds very early in the spring.

**1828 Carmine** Bright carmine-rose.

**1825 Flesh Pink** Very delicate pink.

**1829 Lilac** Also known as lavender.

**1827 Rose Cardinal** Brilliant rosy red.

**1823 White** Large heads of pure white.

**1830 All Colors Mixed** Attractive blend made up of the above five lovely colors.

Any of the above Umbellata Candytufts:

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

Perennial Candytuft, see page 53.



1816 Candytuft, Giant Hyacinth Pkt. 15¢



## CALIFORNIA POPPIES—*Eschscholtzia*

Dainty, free-flowering plants of easiest culture, with gaily colored, poppy-like flowers having a satiny finish; do well in any well-drained, loose soil and sunny position. Bloom early and continue until frost. Well adapted for beds and edgings; for vases, cut the buds when they begin to show color. The spreading varieties grow 1 ft. tall; the erect growing attain a height of 15 to 18 in. Many were originated on Burpee's Floradale Farms.

### Double and Semi-Double—Spreading Varieties

**2017 Creamy Crinkles** Extra double flowers of soft, apricot-buff; petals are beautifully crinkled or canaliculated. At times, the color appears as a rich pastel tone of creamy primrose-yellow. Charming.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2034 Enchantress** Charming double flowers; light rosy carmine overlaid with deep cream. A glorious, soft coloring.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2065 Sweetheart** Double flowers of flaming rose on cream ground, lighter on the inside of the petals which are handsomely crinkled and delightfully fluted.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2014 Double Mixed** A mixture of the best named double and semi-double varieties, in a choice color range. Some are prettily frilled so that many gorgeous, odd but pleasing bicolor effects are produced.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2053 Monarch Mixed** Select mixture of the finest semi-double varieties. A bed or border is a riot of many beautiful colors.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

### Single Flowering—Spreading Varieties

**2049 Golden West** Large, deep yellow flowers with showy, brilliant orange blotch.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2052 Red Chief** Dark mahogany-red flowers with glistening, satiny sheen.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

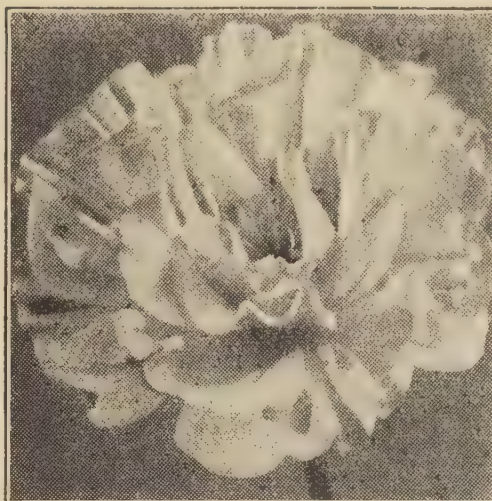
### Erect Growing Plants—Giant Single Flowers

**2054 Delightful** Outside of petals is soft apricot while inside is apricot-orange. Flowers, 3 in. across; erect plants, 15 in. high with silvery bluish green foliage.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2047 Fire Flame** Orange-scarlet flowers; plants erect and compact. 15 in. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2046 Golden Rod** Enormous blooms of bright golden orange are freely produced on erect, bushy plants, 15 in. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2050 My Favorite** Immense flowers of apricot-buff suffused salmon with a most attractive silky sheen. Plants are of neat, erect, uniform growth, about 15 in. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢



2042 California Poppy, Sunbeam Pkt. 25¢

**2042 Sunbeam** Pretty, double, bright yellow flowers 2 in. across. Differs from other varieties in this group in that the plants are dwarf and erect growing. 10 in.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2055 Sunset Mixture** Well-balanced blend of single flowering varieties in many pretty colors varying from lightest yellow to dark red. Sure to attract attention in beds, borders or edgings. Free blooming.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**1589 Erect Mixed** An attractive mixture of the most desirable colors in this group for a grand showing. 15 to 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

#### Five California Poppies

**Creamy Crinkles**, double;  
**Red Chief**, single;  
**Delightful, Fire Flame** and  
**Golden Rod**, single erect

7735—5 pkts., one each of these five separate varieties, value 85¢ for only **50¢**

## CAMPANULA (ANNUAL)

**3642 Fragilis** (The Basket Campanula) Large, light blue flowers on prostrate trailing branches often 18 in. long. Lovely in the rock garden or trailing over a wall; for window boxes and hanging baskets. Hardy where winters are mild. In cold sections it should be treated as an annual. Easily grown as an indoor winter house plant.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50

### Annual Canterbury Bells

**1815 Mixed Colors** Shape of flowers and form of plant are the same as the well-known biennial Canterbury Bells, but these annual varieties bloom in less than six months from seed. They come in various shades of lavender, blue, rose, pink, as well as white in a lovely mixture. Desirable for late beds and borders and nice for cutting. For earliest flowers, start seed indoors. The sturdy plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

Biennial and Perennial Campanulas, see page 50.



1815 Annual Campanula, Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢



1848 Carnation, Giant Marguerite Pkt. 25¢

## GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATIONS

**1848 Finest Mixed** Delightfully fragrant, fringed flowers of the largest size in a blend of all colors—whites, lovely rose and pink shades, salmon, deep red, scarlet, dark blood-red and yellow. Plants flower within five months from seed; for a longer period of bloom, or in localities where summers are short, start seed early indoors. Hardy in moderate climates where it may be grown as a biennial. Profuse blooming. Fine for beds, borders, pots and cutting. 15 to 18 in.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

Perennial Carnations, see page 50.

## CACTUS FROM SEED

**1838 Mixed Varieties** Choice assortment of the most attractive, easily and quickly grown cacti. Make interesting pot-plants.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 100 seeds 80¢

## CALCEOLARIA—Pouch Flower

**3913 Hybrids** Attractive, compact, free-blooming house plants with peculiar pouch-like flowers of various colors, many of which are attractively blotched, spotted and laced.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢

## CANARY BIRD FLOWER

*Tropaeolum peregrinum* §

**2911** Very graceful, dainty climber with beautifully cut foliage and finely fringed, nasturtium-like flowers of rich canary yellow, which at a distance appear like tiny canary birds. Nice for cutting. 10 to 15 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

## CARDINAL CLIMBER

*Ipomoea quamoclit sloteri* §

**2912** Quick-growing climber with cardinal-scarlet blooms, 1 to 1½ in. across in lovely contrast to the glossy dark green foliage so finely cut as to give little or no shade. It is grown extensively for its spectacular display of flowers. Vines grow 15 ft. tall and are in bloom all summer until killed by frost. Do best in warm, sandy soil.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

## CINERARIA

Splendid plants for winter and spring house decoration. Rich in shades of blue, carmine, pink, white, etc.; many combinations.

**3916 Giant Exhibition Mixed** Beautiful self-colors, and many with contrasting, pure white centers or clearly defined margins and rings of various shades. Flowers are very large, 3½ in. across. 16 in. tall.  
Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.75

**3920 Large Flowered Tall Mixed** Flowers are large, 2 to 3 in. across, in many colors. 18 in. tall. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢

**3917 Large Flowered Dwarf Mixed** Large blooms in many handsome colors. Grow 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢

**3921 Small Flowered Dwarf Mixed** Dwarf plants, 10 in. tall, covered with small, attractive self-colored flowers about ¾ in. across. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢



# CORNFLOWERS — Bachelor's Buttons

## *Centaurea cyanus* ☐

Plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall, and if faded flowers are kept cut will produce large double blooms on long stems throughout the summer. Fine for beds, borders and cutting. In some localities they are called Ragged, Sailor, Ragged Robin, Bluet or Blue Bottle.

**1708 Blue Boy** The true cornflower-blue shade; always popular.

**1728 Pinkie** Lovely light pink.

**1736 Red Boy** Deep glowing red.

**1737 Snow Man** Glistening white.

Any of the above Cornflowers:

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**1885 Special Mixture** The above four varieties in a grand mixture.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

### Four Choice Cornflowers

**Blue Boy, Red Boy,  
Pinkie and Snow Man**

**7722** — 4 pkts., one each,  
value 60¢  
for only **45¢**

## Dwarf Double Cornflowers ☐

Bushy, compact plants, 1 ft. tall covered with large double flowers. Fine for edgings, borders and rock gardens; may be grown in pots.

**1882 Jubilee Gem** Dark blue throughout. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**1951 Lilac Lady** The flowers open deep mauve and change to an exquisite shade of lilac as they mature. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

## *Centaurea Americana*

**1878 Lilac** The plants grow 3 ft. tall and produce a great display of mammoth - size, thistle-like blooms during July and August. The individual flowers measure about 4 in. across when fully expanded. They are composed of long, delicate lilac-blue petals; fine for garden decoration and cutting. The largest of all the annual centaureas and easily grown in any good soil with minimum care. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

Perennial *Centaureas*, page 49.

1708  
Cornflower,  
Blue Boy  
Pkt. 15¢

## Giant Sweet Sultans

### *Centaurea imperialis* ☐

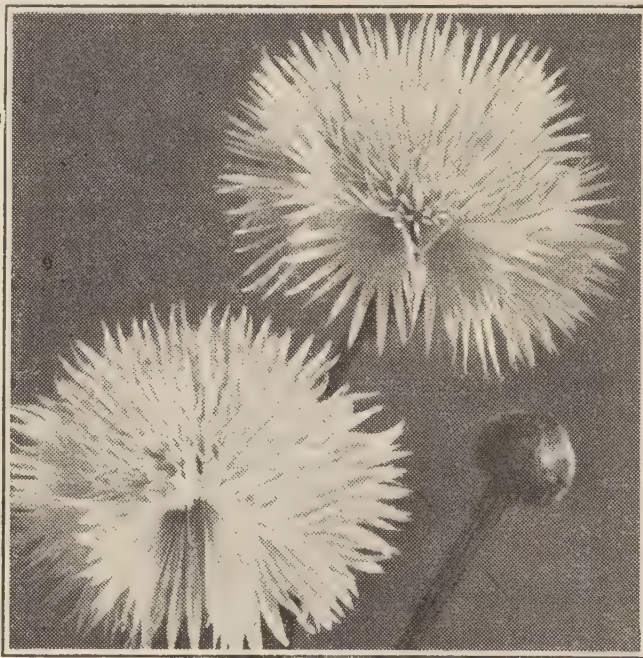
Most desirable for garden decoration and cutting. Bloom freely for many weeks during the summer; succeed best in rich, well-drained soil, and in sections where the summers are not very hot. The giant, long-stemmed, sweet-scented flowers are exquisitely fringed and graceful in form.

**1876 All Colors Mixed** All colors in a glorious mixture; some have centers different in color from the outer petals. 3 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2752 Yellow (*Suaveolens*)** Exquisite, rich pure yellow, sweet scented flowers; slightly smaller in size than the above giant sweet sultans. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



1876 Giant Sweet Sultans Pkt. 15¢

# CELOSIA or COCKSCOMB ☐

An old-fashioned flower greatly improved. Blooms from midsummer until frost. Easily grown in any soil. The flowers last a long time if dried as you would everlasting.

## Lilliput or Dwarf Feathered Celosias

Dwarf, compact plants, often producing from 15 to 20 branches, each tipped with brilliant silky plumes. Makes an imposing display in beds, borders, edgings, pots and boxes. A great bloomer. 1 ft. tall.

**1857 Fire Feather** Rich fiery crimson.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

**1858 Golden Feather** Deep yellow.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

## Chinese Woolflower

(*Celosia childsi*)

**1851 Chinese Woolflowers, Mixed** Much branched plants, each branch tipped with a round pink, yellow or crimson, woolly flower head. Splendid for garden display and valued for cutting. 2½ to 3 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

## Globe Celosia

**1856 Flame of Fire** Pyramidal plants branching out into candelabra shape, each stem bearing a large, almost round, fiery scarlet head of coral-like structure. 1½ ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢

## Giant Plumed or Tall Feathered Cockscomb

Colorful plants with long, silky plumes. Effective in beds and borders; useful for cutting. Very free blooming. 2½ to 3 ft.

**1853 Pride of Castle Gould** Large, fluffy, ostrich-feather-like plumes of yellow, scarlet, crimson, and orange-red in a grand mixture. Last well when cut.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢

**1864 Mixed Colors** Varied shades of red and yellow. Makes a grand showing.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

## *Celosia spicata*

**1866** Round, slender, pointed flower spikes, 3 to 4 in. long, 1 in. across; open soft rose changing to silvery white. Easy to dry. 3 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢



1912 Crested Cockscomb, Empress Pkt. 15¢

## Crested Cockscomb

(*Celosia cristata*)

The name "Cockscomb" applies particularly to this group, for the flower heads, as will be seen from the picture above, surely have a resemblance to the form of a rooster's comb. These do best in light soil.

**1912 Empress (nana)** A most impressive cockscomb which deserves a place in every garden; prized for cutting, fresh or dried. The dwarf plants, which average 10 in. in height, have dark, bronzy foliage and huge combs of deep, velvety crimson-purple.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**1911 Dwarf Mixed (nana)** Many fine shades of yellow, orange, crimson, purple, rose and red in mixture. The large flower heads or combs are much used when dried for winter decoration in the home. 10 in.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**1917 Tall Mixed** Extra fine colors in a well-blended mixture. Grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; ⅛ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢



1857 Lilliput Celosia, Fire Feather Pkt. 35¢



# Burpee's COSMOS

Beautiful summer and fall blooming plants; decorative in the garden and wonderful for cutting, lasting longer if flowers are placed in water immediately after being cut. Do well anywhere but succeed best in a well-drained soil and a sunny, sheltered location. Stake tall growing varieties to protect them from high winds.

## 1943 Burpee's Yellow (Early)

*All-America Silver Medal Winner.* The first yellow single flowered cosmos in cultivation; companion to Orange Flare and like it in earliness, plant habit and ease of culture. The color, however, is different—bright yellow with faint darker golden shadings. Plants are of strong, open bushy growth, floriferous, 3 ft. and more tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## 1945 Yellow Ruffles (Early)

Burpee's early, extremely free blooming, soft, clear golden yellow cosmos with an extra row of petals. Similar to Orange Ruffles in flower form and plant growth, differs only in color of the flowers.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## 1935 Orange Flare (Early)

Well-branched plants, 3 ft. tall, covered with showy single golden orange flowers in 3 to 3½ months from seed, and continue to bloom until frost. Especially valuable where summers are short.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

## 1987 Orange Ruffles (Early)

The same golden orange colored flowers as Orange Flare, but with an extra row of petals. Like it in earliness and plant habit.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## 1988 Yellow and Orange (Early)

Special mixture of Burpee's Yellow and Orange Flare Cosmos that is attractive in the garden or as cut-flowers. Free blooming.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## Early Single

Blooms in about 12 weeks from seed and continues to flower profusely for 2 months. Flowers 3 in. across; plants grow 4 ft. tall.

1937 <b>Crimson</b> Blood-red crimson.....	Any of these: Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢
1939 <b>Rose</b> Exquisite, bright rose-pink.....	
1941 <b>White</b> Pure satiny white.....	
1942 <b>Mixed Colors</b> Pink, red and white.....	

## Six Early Single Flowering Cosmos

**Crimson, Rose, White,  
Burpee's Yellow, Orange Flare and  
Mammoth Flowering Sensation, Mixed Colors**

7730—6 pkts., one each of these six separate varieties, value 65¢ for only **50¢**

## SUMMER CHRYSANTHEMUMS ☐

Of the easiest culture, doing best in fairly heavy soil. The plants bloom profusely during the summer and fall, especially in sections where the summers are not too hot. Showy.

**1997 Eastern Star** Large single primrose-yellow flowers with chocolate center. 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢



1894 Chrysanthemum, Yellowstone Pkt. 15¢

**1998 Evening Star** Most attractive, deep golden yellow, large single flowers. 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**1892 Morning Star** Attractive single, primrose-yellow flowers; yellow eye. 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**1894 Yellowstone** Intense sulphur-yellow double flowers of the finest form are freely borne on good, straight stems. The color is most appealing and the shape of the flowers is distinct. Favorite chrysanthemum for garden and cutting. Grows 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

**1896 Finest Single Mixed** (Painted Daisies) Many of the large flowers are of one color, but most of them are beautifully zoned or ringed with multi-colored bands that are strikingly beautiful. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**1903 Coronarium Double Mixed** Button-shaped, double blooms, 1½ in. across, in white and shades of yellow. 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

Perennial Chrysanthemums, see page 49.

1958  
Sensation Cosmos,  
Radiance  
Pkt. 25¢



## Sensation (Early, Mammoth)

Giant single flowers, 4 to 6 in. across, are had within 10 weeks from seed and are borne most profusely until frost on robust plants, 4 to 6 ft. high. Flowers have prettily fluted petals which slightly overlap.

**1958 Radiance** Deep rose distinctly overlaid with rich crimson towards the yellow eyed center. *All-America Silver Medal Winner.*  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

**1923 Pink**..... } Either of these: Pkt. 15¢;  
**1924 White**..... } 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 80¢

**1922 Mixed Colors** White and various shades of pink.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

## Giant Late Single

Long-stemmed giant blooms, often 5 in. across, from September until hard frost. 6 ft. tall. If you live where summers are short or if earlier blooms are wanted, we suggest that you start seed indoors.

<b>1944 Giant Crimson</b> Velvety red.....	Any of these: Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢
<b>1932 Pink Lady Lenox</b> Lovely shade.....	
<b>1933 White Lady Lenox</b> Pure white.....	
<b>1947 Mixed Colors</b> Crimson, pink and white..	

## Early Double Crested

A wide variance of lovely crested or anemone-shaped flowers, 2 to 2½ in. across, of different shapes can be expected in this type, the balance being single flowers of good quality. Grow 3 to 4 ft. tall.

<b>1961 Crimson</b> Velvety dark red.....	Any of these: Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢
<b>1960 Pink</b> Attractive deep rose-pink.....	
<b>1962 White</b> Handsome, pure white.....	
<b>1963 Mixed Colors</b> Crimson, pink and white..	

## CLARKIA ☐ ○

**1906 Finest Double Mixed** The dainty double flowers somewhat resemble those of the flowering almond. Does best in sections where summers do not get too hot. Salmon, pink, mauve, rose, carmine, purple, white and shades of red mixed. 2 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 80¢

## COLEUS—Rich and colorful

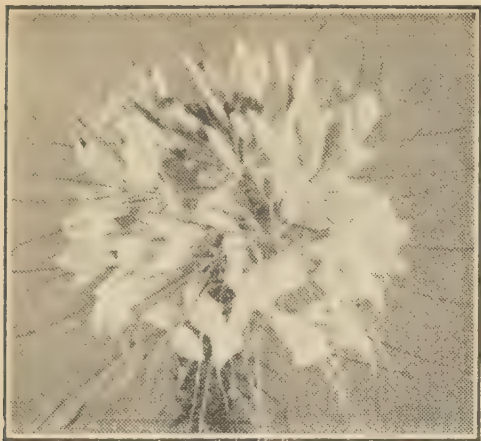
Brilliantly colored foliage plants for beds, borders, pots, or edgings to taller plants. To get the best coloring, the plants should be grown in full sun. Combinations of green, red and yellow predominate. 20 in.

**1921 Burpee's Sunset Mammoth Mixed** Leaves are immense, beautifully marked and prettily variegated, rich and brilliant in their colorings. Wonderfully decorative; many shades and combinations.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00

**1927 Fine Mixed** Leaves are not so large as Burpee's Sunset. Colors are very bright.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/32 oz. 85¢

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1980 Cleome, Pink Queen Pkt. 15¢

## CLEOME—Spider Plant

**1980 Pink Queen** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Huge trusses of bright, salmon-pink flowers from early summer until late fall. As flowers age they turn to white, giving a pleasing apple-blossom blending of colors. Attractive in large beds, tall borders and backgrounds; may be used as hedges. Easily grown; stands heat. 4 ft. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢



3924 Cyclamen, Giant Mixed Pkt. 25¢

## CYCLAMEN

(*Persicum giganteum*) Large, colorful, fragrant blooms on strong, erect stems well above the ornamental foliage. It takes 16 to 18 months to produce blooming plants from seed. They make most attractive pot plants for house and table decoration.

- 3923 **America Improved** Salmon-scarlet.
- 3947 **Bonfire** Brilliant salmon.
- 3926 **Glory of Wandsbek** Salmon-red.
- 3982 **Lavender** Exquisite coloring.
- 4033 **Pink Pearl** Lovely salmon-pink.
- 3934 **Dark Blood Red** Attractive.
- 3939 **Bright Red** Luminous shade.
- 3929 **Rose of Marienthal Improved** Soft rose with prominent carmine eye.
- 3925 **Bright Rose** Clear and bright.
- 3930 **Pure White** No markings.
- 3935 **White with Carmine Eye**
- 3924 **Giant Mixed** All the best colors.

Any of the above: Pkt. (10 seeds) 25¢;  
2 pkts. 45¢; 100 seeds \$2.00

## CYNOGLOSSUM

See Forget-me-not, Chinese, page 37.

## CYPRESS VINE

Quick-growing climber with attractive, trumpet-shaped flowers, 1 to 1 1/2 in. across, the petals of which form a perfect star. Excellent for training on porches, trellises, string or poles. In bloom from July until fall. Glossy green fern-like foliage. 10 ft.

- 2919 **Scarlet** A very rich, bright color. Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 80¢
- 2923 **Mixed** Scarlet and white flowers in contrast to the graceful, slender leaves. Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 80¢

## DAHLIAS FROM SEED

It is easy and fascinating to grow dahlias from seed and enjoy the surprise of new colors and forms. Seeds of the tall dahlias should be started early indoors; the seed of the dwarf varieties may be sown in the open when the soil has become warm. Single and small-flowered varieties reproduce fairly true to color and type, but large flowering types can be expected to produce some singles and semi-doubles.

### Tall Dahlias (3 to 5 ft. high)

**1964 Cactus Flowered Mixed** A select strain of double and semi-double cactus-flowered blooms in many colors. 3 to 4 ft.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**1952 Decorative Double Mixed** Large flowered; many choice decorative varieties in a wide range of the best colors. 3 to 5 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

**1969 Exhibition Strain** Seed has been saved from the largest blooms of the choicest named varieties. It is from seed that you get new dahlias, and you are just as likely to obtain them as anyone else. Each packet contains 25 selected seeds of different types and assorted colors. 3 to 5 ft.

Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 3 pkts. \$2.50

**1953 Large Flowered Double Mixed** Various types in a select assortment of best colors and attractive markings. 3 to 5 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

**1956 Pompon Mixed** The smallest of all dahlias; flowers are ball-shaped in a wide color range on rather compact plants. 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢



1969 Exhibition Dahlia Pkt. \$1.00

### Dwarf Dahlias (1 1/2 to 2 ft. high)

**1970 Coltness Single Hybrids Mixed** Lovely single flowers, 3 in. across, with smooth or fluted petals in many desirable colors are borne very profusely on dwarf, compact plants, 1 1/2 to 2 ft. tall. Good length stems make flowers valuable for cutting; remarkably showy in beds or borders.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 40¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

**1971 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids** Early-flowering, semi-double dahlias in a varied assortment of colors. Bushy. 1 1/2 to 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**1968 Mignon Mixed** Nicely rounded single flowers in a charming mixture of bronze, salmon, apricot, orange, scarlet, crimson, lavender, yellow, and purple shades, as well as some bicolor and striped. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 40¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

**1974 Zulu** Black-leaved, dwarf double hybrids mostly in shades of crimson and scarlet enlivened by a few orange, gold and lilac blooms on strong stems. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

For roots of Dahlias, see pages 116 and 117.



1978 Tahoka Daisy Pkt. 25¢

## DAISY, TAHOKA

**1978** Bushy, compact plants with fern-like foliage. Flowers are 2 in. across, composed of a single row of narrow, pointed, lilac-blue petals surrounding a golden yellow, disc-like center. Blooms early and profusely throughout the summer and fall. 20 in.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

## DIASCIA—Twinspur

**2039 Barberae** Lovely rose-pink with a shading of salmon; the throat is yellow, dotted with bright apple-green. Each flower has two prominent spurs, hence the common name. Nice for cutting. 12 to 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 40¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

## DRACAENA—Dragon Plant

**2035 Indivisa** Ornamental plants with long, narrow, gracefully arching green leaves. Valuable as specimens in the house, window boxes or on the porch and may be used outdoors in summer as center plants in beds, vases, porch and window boxes.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢



3744 Annual Delphinium Mixed Pkt. 15¢

## ANNUAL DELPHINIUM

### Chinense—Chinese Larkspur

If sown early, flowers are produced freely on well-branched stems from June to September. May also be grown as a biennial. Grow 1 ft. tall except Cambridge Blue.

- 3779 **Azure Fairy** Bright azure-blue.
- 3791 **Blue Butterfly** Deepest blue.
- 3664 **Cambridge Blue** Light blue. Taller growing than the others—about 2 ft.
- 3775 **White** Lovely pure white. Splendid.
- 3744 **Choicest Mixed** Blue and white.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢

Perennial Delphinium, see page 51.



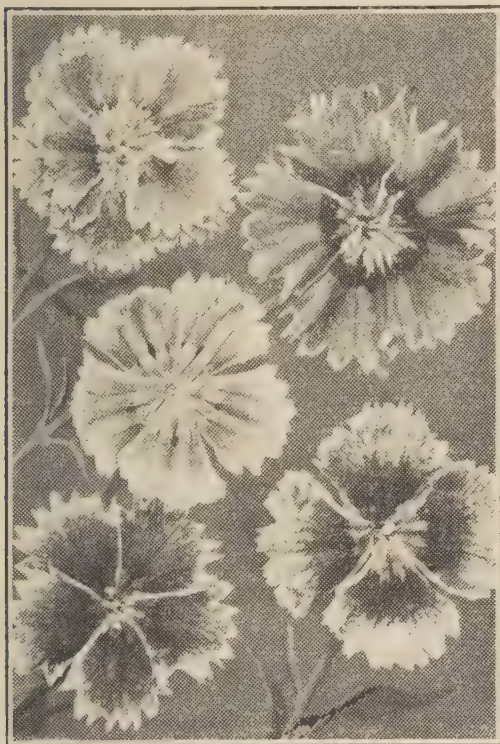
# DIANTHUS — Annual Pinks ☐

Brilliantly colored, sweet-scented flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. Plants grow about 1 ft. tall except where noted, are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms, 1 to 3 in. across, from July until frost. Of easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary garden loam. May be grown as a biennial in mild climates.

## Single Flowered

**1991 Delight** Beautiful single, showy flowers, 1 in. and more across, in a bewildering range of colors from lightest pink through salmon, red to deepest purple, many eyed like a Sweet William, while others have a definite contrasting light or dark center. The neat, erect, profuse blooming plants are most attractive in the garden and the flowers are wonderful for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢



Dianthus, Single Flowered  
1995 Heddensis Mixed Pkt. 25¢

Perennial Dianthus, see page 51.

**1982 Floradale** An improved strain. The flowers are very large, single, with deeply lacinated petals. Practically every color known in dianthus is in this mixture—from pure white to deepest crimson. Unusual.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

**1995 Heddensis Mixed** Beautifully formed, large flowers, 2 in. across, in all the lovely colors and markings to be found in dianthus. Stems average 16 in. long, strong and erect which makes this mixture especially valuable for cutting and garden use.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**2022 Laciniatus splendens** Brilliant crimson single flowers, 2 in. and more across with contrasting white eye. Petals are finely cut into a lace-like fringe.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1983 The Bride** Showy single, pure white flowers, 2 in. across, with a large, bright crimson eye. Light bluish green foliage.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 90¢

**1990 Westwood Beauty** Flowers are large, 1 3/4 in. across, single, predominantly crimson, with other shades of red, scarlet, carmine to deep rose; some are attractively edged with white. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**1989 Single Mixed** Well-formed single blooms with smooth or lacinated petals. Includes many bright self-colors as well as bicolors, edged, spotted and eyed varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

## Four Choice Dianthus

Laciniatus splendens,  
Snowball, The Bride and  
Westwood Beauty

7723—4 pkts., one each of these  
four named varieties, value 70¢ for only **50¢**



Dianthus, Single Flowered  
1982 Floradale Pkt. 25¢

**2032 Fordhook Favorites, Single and Double Mixed** Splendid blend of single and double dianthus, including all those offered here, and other choice varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

## Double Flowered

**2001 Snowball** Large, pure white, double flowers with finely fringed petals. Profuse.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

**1981 Chinensis Double Mixed** Fine blooms in clusters on upright, strong stems. White, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson, with some pleasing bicolors. A showy type.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢

**2021 Laciniatus Double Mixed** Double fringed and lacinated carnation-like flowers in a wide range of colors, many with contrasting edges and fancy patterns.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 50¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢

**1994 Double Mixed** Many showy colors and markings. Double Heddewigi type.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**1985 Dwarf Double Mixed** Wide range of colors; dwarf, compact plants. 6 in.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

## EVERLASTING FLOWERS

**2854 Mixed Varieties** A special mixture of different flowers that can be dried for winter bouquets—Acroclinium, Globe Amaranth, Helichrysum, Honesty, Statice, etc.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

## EUPHORBIA

Snow-on-the-Mountain ☐

**2058 Marginata or Variegata** The green leaves are broadly veined and margined with white; topmost leaves are almost all white. Colorful foliage plants which add beauty to the tall border, foundation plantings and groups. Easily grown. 3 to 4 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢



2058 Snow-on-the-Mountain Pkt. 15¢  
(Euphorbia marginata)



2063 Feverfew, Golden Ball Pkt. 15¢

## FEVERFEW — Matricaria ☐●

Easily grown in any good soil, succeeding even in semi-shade. Showy plants that are attractive in the garden; fine for cutting.

**2063 Golden Ball** Masses of small, double, golden yellow blooms like tiny chrysanthemums. Compact plants. 8 in. high.

**2094 Lemon Ball** Small, globular lemon-yellow double flowers. Bushy 8 in. plants.

**2080 Snowball** Pure white, small, double, rounded flowers. Plants grow 10 in. tall.

Any of the above Feverfew:

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

All Flower Seeds are Postpaid .. 27



2020 Dimorphotheca, Glistening White Pkt. 25¢

## DIMORPHOTHECA

African Daisies—Cape Marigold ☐☐

**2020 Glistening White** Immaculate white daisy-like flowers 3 1/2 to 4 in. across. Good for rock gardens, edgings, and cutting. Quick to come into bloom continuing through the summer if weather is not too hot. Low, spreading plants 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

## DUSTY MILLER

Centaurea gymnocarpa

**1891** Finely divided, silvery-white leaves of a woolly texture. Lavender flowers in late summer. Attractive for accent purposes, in borders, beds and vases. 1 1/2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢



# Burpee's Multiflora PETUNIAS



2499 Silver Medal  
Pkt. 50c

## 2499 SILVER MEDAL—New for 1949

*All-America Silver Medal Winner*

Silver Medal is one of the finest single petunias ever introduced and named for the award bestowed upon it in the All-America trials. Flowers, 3 in. across, are borne in the greatest profusion from early summer until frost. When first opening, they are a lustrous salmon-cerise with orange undertone gradually changing to a delightful shade of rich salmon as they mature. Plants are low and bushy, grow 1 ft. tall with a spread of 18 to 20 in. Foliage is mid-green and offers a fine, bright contrast to the salmon colored flowers which are borne in such quantity as to practically hide the plants from view. Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; 5 pkts. \$2.00

Burpee's Multiflora Petunias are true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrids, the direct result of crossing two distinct parent varieties by hand-pollination.

Tests having been made as to which parents produce the most desirable progeny, alternate rows of the parents chosen are planted alongside of each other.

As petunias are practically self-pollinated, it is necessary for our experts to remove the pollen sacs from the rows of flowers of the female parent. This must be done before any pollen is shed or otherwise the hybrid cross would be contaminated. The next day after emasculation, pollen is taken from the flowers of the "male" rows and placed on the stigmas of the females.

This carefully controlled crossing by hand of two distinct parent lines is very costly but the resulting seed will produce a hybrid of extreme vigor, more uniform in growth, with larger flowers and considerably more of them per plant. Our Multiflora Petunias are really outstanding, each having been judged medal winners by America's foremost flower critics in the trials of the All-America Selections.

Wonderful for large beds, wide borders and excellent for cut-flower purposes.

## 2486 PINK SENSATION

*All-America Bronze Medal Winner*

Plants are extremely vigorous, 2 ft. tall, as much as 4 ft. in width, and completely covered with flowers, 3 in. across. The color is rose bengal, more familiarly described as light rose-pink with deeper pink veining extending well out toward the edges from the white throat which is finely etched with brown. A metallic lustre adds life and sparkle.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; 5 pkts. \$2.00



2486 Pink Sensation  
Pkt. 50c

Burpee's Multiflora Hybrid Petunias are easily recognized by their bushy, spreading habit and extreme profusion of large blooms which cover the plants from early summer until frost.



# Burpee's Balcony PETUNIAS

(Large Flowered Bedding)

Showy plants with long branches covered with blooms, 2½ to 3 in. and more across. Equally as desirable for trailing from hanging baskets, porch and balcony boxes as for bedding. Seeds may be started indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans about six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time or they may be sown directly outdoors when the soil has become warm. 1½ ft.

**2501 Black Prince** Darkest of all red balcony petunias—deep, luminous mahogany-red enriched with a satiny black throat.

**2553 Blue** Beautiful, rich shade of violet-blue. Effective if planted alone or in combination with other colors. Profuse bloomer.

**2502 Blue Wonder** Remarkable for its gorgeous cornflower-blue color which is retained throughout the season.

**2543 Crimson** Glowing shade of very dark crimson; brilliant and intense. Shows up wonderfully if planted with white.

**2557 Rose** Fiery rose—radiant, soft and most pleasing. A great favorite for garden decoration and prized for cutting.

**2545 White Wonder** Flowers are pure glistening white, 3 in. and more across. Plants are covered with bloom.

**2598 Burpee's Best Mixture** An exceptionally choice assortment of the finest varieties in blue, rose, white, with enough mahogany-red and crimson to give a depth of color. Splendid.

Any of the above Balcony or Large Flowered Petunias:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

## 4 Finest Balcony Petunias

Blue Wonder, Crimson, Rose and White Wonder

7516—4 pkts., one each of these four named varieties, value \$1.00 for only **75¢**



2557 Balcony Petunia, Rose Pkt. 25¢

**2570 Mixed Colors** A splendid blend of all colors to be found in the balcony class of large flowered bedding petunias. Excellent for massing in beds and wide borders; valuable material for cutting.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

## Burpee's Bedding Petunias

(*Petunia hybrida*)

Plants are extremely free blooming, producing a wealth of flowers even under the most trying conditions of weather and soil. Ideal for large beds, borders and porch boxes. Seeds may be sown directly outdoors when soil has become warm or, for earliest blooms, start the seeds indoors in pots, seed-pans or shallow boxes of fine soil. Grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

**2563 Burpee's Blue** Rich, clear ultramarine-blue flowers, 2½ to 3 in. across.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2467 Flaming Velvet** Deep velvety mahogany-red with a luster of scarlet.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2554 Florabunda** Remarkable blend of blue, white, rose and red large flowered petunias.  
**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢;  
¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2561 Gen. Dodds** Vivid dark crimson flowers of a soft, velvety texture. Pretty.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2558 Howard's Star** Deep crimson starred and blotched blush-white.  
Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 70¢

**2605 Radiance** Glowing, soft cerise-rose with underlying salmon to intensify its brilliance; brown-veined golden yellow throat.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2413 Snowstorm** Pure, clear, snow-white flowers are borne most lavishly.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2562 Violeteen** Deep rich violet-blue. An outstanding color that is most unusual. Shows up best with light colored varieties.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2565 All Colors Mixed** A choice assortment of bedding spreading varieties in a wide and varied range of colors; makes a showy, bright display in beds and borders.  
Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 70¢

**2586 Special Mixture** The best varieties of blue, crimson, white, cerise, salmon and golden rose bedding spreading petunias blended for a harmonious effect.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

### Best 4 Bedding Petunias

Burpee's Blue, Gen. Dodds, Radiance and Snowstorm

7835—4 pkts., one each of these four named varieties, value 70¢ for only **50¢**



2467 Bedding Petunia, Flaming Velvet Pkt. 25¢

## Giant Single Flowered Petunias—(*Petunia hybrida grandiflora*)

Burpee's Giant Petunias grow 4 in. and more across, while some are almost as large as the giant ruffled varieties. All are smooth edged, that is, they are not fringed or ruffled but deeply five-lobed. They are excellent for beds, pots, window boxes, and cutting. Start seeds indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time; set young plants in the garden when soil becomes warm. Take extra care in sowing seed.

**2539 Elk's Purple** Lovely deep violet-purple blooms forming a five-pointed star with their large, smooth-edged lobes. Remarkably rich and even tone is carried over the entire surface of the flower; free from any suggestion of magenta. While dark colored, it is far from being dull. Known to some growers as Elk's Pride.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

**2402 Burgundy** Most unusual and valuable color—deep Burgundy red enhanced by a rich velvety sheen; all in pretty contrast to the glistening white throat veined red. Ever since introduced, the popularity of this glorious petunia has increased and deservedly so, for it has few equals in its class. *All-America Winner*.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

**2571 Mixed Colors** A marvelous blend of Giant Petunias with plain or smooth edges; many colors, including Burgundy, Elk's Purple and some other varieties of which we do not have, this year, enough seed to offer separately. Lovely for all purposes.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

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# Burpee's Giant Fringed PETUNIAS

(*Petunia hybrida grandiflora fimbriata*)



2548 Giant Fringed Petunia,  
Theodosia Pkt. 25¢

**2548 Theodosia** Rose-pink with a clearly defined yellow throat veined purplish black; one of the finest fringed petunias.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/128 oz. 75¢

**2550 Violet Beauty** Velvety violet-blue with purplish black throat overlaid with deep-etched black veins. A cast of heliotrope at the base of the throat adds richness to the flower. Distinct colorings.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/128 oz. 75¢

**2537 White Beauty** Pure white, faintly veined with cool apple-green in the throat.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/128 oz. 75¢

**2520 Giant Fringed, Finest Mixed** In this blend we have included varieties of as many pleasing and different colors as possible. Many are self or solid; others attractively blotched or oddly variegated in contrasting shades. It is unsurpassed.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/128 oz. 75¢

Burpee's Giant Fringed Petunias, which average 4 to 6 in. across when properly grown, have a charm of their own due to their attractively fringed or frilled blooms. Varieties offered are the finest for size, color and form of flowers. They are admirably suited for bedding purposes, pot culture and for cutting. Seeds should be sown indoors about eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Set plants in the garden when weather has become warm.

**2534 Apple Blossom** Lovely apple-blossom-pink enriched by deeper pink veinings in the throat. Artistically fringed at the edges.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/128 oz. 75¢

**2541 Golden Jubilee** Prettily fringed scarlet-rose flowers, gradually changing to bright carmine-rose toward the edges and to creamy yellow toward the amber throat which is veined mahogany.  
Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25

**2495 Moonbeam** Creamy yellow with deeper yellow colored throat. The best of the real yellows and a most unusual color.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

**2400 Salmon Beauty** Light, bright salmon shaded deeper salmon; pale yellow throat veined rose. Distinct, desirable color.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

**2541 Scarlet Beauty** Bright scarlet suffused rose, with deep crimson veins. The flowers are heavily and deeply frilled at edges.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

**2462 The Art** Large, well-fringed flowers of brilliant carmine-rose attractively striped, blotched and variegated pure white. Instead of spreading as others in this class, plants grow quite upright and bushy—a distinct and desirable habit of growth.  
Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/128 oz. 85¢

## 4 Giant Fringed Petunias

Scarlet Beauty, Theodosia,  
Violet Beauty and White Beauty

7832—4 pkts., one each of these  
four separate varieties,  
value \$1.10 for only 85¢

## Giant Ruffled Petunias (*Petunia hybrida grandiflora superbissima*)

Burpee's Giant Ruffled Petunias are held in high esteem for bedding, borders, cutting, and most valuable for porch and window boxes as well as for pot culture. The flowers, with their large, wide-

open throats, are deeply ruffled, artistically veined and, when well grown, often measure 5 to 7 in. across. Start seeds indoors eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Sow carefully.

**2533 Copper Red** Distinct rosy copper-red with dark throat. A magnificent rich color. One of the finest.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25

**2540 Evening Star** Glistening pure white, accented by the rich yellow throat veined deeper yellow.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25

**2517 Mauve Queen** Light mauve or heliotrope on white ground; large, satiny black throat veined purple.  
Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.15

**2569 Giant Fluffy Ruffles, Prize Mixture** Marvelous blend of giant fringed and ruffled petunias in a wide range of beautiful colors. As advertised, we are making this offer so that everyone may enjoy this wonderful mixture. **SPECIAL: 25¢ pkt. for only 10¢;**  
1/128 oz. 75¢; 1/64 oz. \$1.25

**2572 Dwarf Giants of California** Magnificent large flowers in a wonderful range of colors are borne profusely on dwarf, compact plants of good habit.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25

**2567 Burpee's Defiance, Mixed** A well-balanced mixture of choice fringed and ruffled varieties.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.25

## Three Giant Ruffled Petunias

Copper Red, Evening Star  
and Mauve Queen

7799—3 pkts., one each of these 3  
varieties, value \$1.00 for only 75¢



2540 Giant Ruffled Petunia, Evening Star Pkt. 35¢



# Burpee's Dwarf PETUNIAS

(*Petunia hybrida nana compacta*)

The dwarf compact petunias are very free flowering, the round, mound-like plants being covered with blooms from early summer until frost. Ideal for edgings to taller petunias or other plants; unexcelled for beds, borders and highly desirable for pot culture. May be depended upon to produce a grand display. 10 to 12 in. tall, except where otherwise noted.

**2551 Alderman** Dark violet-blue with a darker throat of velvety appearance.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 70¢

**2415 Blue Bird** Deep, clear blue-violet overlaid with a glistening velvety lustre.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2549 Bright Eyes** The plants grow 7 to 9 in. tall and are completely covered with soft, light rose-pink flowers with pronounced white throat. Blooms grow 1 1/2 in. across.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**2439 Cheerful** All-America Winner. Clear salmon-pink flowers, 2 3/4 in. across, with deeper rose veining toward the throat. Here and there among the mass of blooms are ones a tint or two lighter than others. At first the growth is low, spreading close to the ground; later the plants form a dwarf mound 10 in. high with a spread of 2 ft.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**2426 Cream Star** Flowers are soft creamy white deepening toward the throat to bright golden yellow and shaped like a star. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**2604 First Lady** Beautiful, clear, light or blush-pink flowers, 2 1/2 in. across, are produced so profusely as to practically hide the foliage of the neat, bushy, plants. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**2469 Glow** Large dazzling carmine-red flowers of the richest and brightest color. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**2442 Igloo** Flowers are of medium size, 1 1/2 in. across, creamy white with a slight shading of yellow in the throat. Profuse. All-America Bronze Medal Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**2493 Northern Star** Medium-size rosy violet blooms with pure white star.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2444 Peach Red** Deep salmon suffused light red, the softness of the intense salmon being most pleasing. For something unusual in color, whether planted alone in the garden, in mixed borders or for cutting, Peach Red is the petunia. Flowers 2 in. across.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢



2439  
Dwarf  
Petunia,  
Cheerful  
Pkt. 35¢



2444 Dwarf Petunia, Peach Red Pkt. 25¢

**2538 Rose of Heaven** Exquisite shade of clear rose with lighter rose throat. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2560 Rosy Morn** Medium-size flowers of clear rose-pink with white throat. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2490 Silver Lilac** Pleasing, soft tone of light silvery lilac—a welcome new shade. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2559 Snowball** Lovely, pure, satiny white blooms literally cover the dwarf plants. Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 70¢

**2496 Twinkles** Masses of small, brilliant rose flowers marked pure white. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2417 White Gem** Pure white flowers, 2 in. across, cover the 6 in. plants. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2588 Special Mixture** Included are blue, carmine, rose, ruby red, creamy white, soft salmon and silver blue—it is a beautiful blend. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. 80¢

**2511 Mixed Colors** Choice mixture of popular dwarf compact varieties. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**2556 Enchantress Mixture** A complete mixture of all bedding varieties of both the spreading and dwarf compact types. An assortment of colors that is rich and varied. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

## 6 Select Dwarf Petunias

Blue Bird, Bright Eyes, First Lady, Northern Star, Rose of Heaven and Snowball

7847—6 pkts., one each of these six named varieties, value \$1.05 for only 75¢

## Dwarf Giant Petunias—Flowers 3 in. and more across; bushy, compact plants

**2529 Pink Glory** Large blooms of a most exquisite, luminous pink shade, the beauty of which is enhanced by a contrasting white throat finely marked with creamy white veins. Grow 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

**2510 White Cloud** Exceptionally free-blooming dwarf compact plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with pure glistening white flowers. They are excellent for beds, pots, window boxes and cutting.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

### 7614 BURPEE'S PETUNIA GARDEN

7 pkts.—one each of the following 7 select varieties:

**Giant Fluffy Ruffles:** Prize Mixture.

**Balcony:** Blue Wonder and White Wonder.

**Bedding:** Flaming Velvet and Radiance.

**Dwarf:** Cheerful and Rose of Heaven.

7 pkts. in all, 7 beautiful named petunias, 4 different types, value \$1.75 for only \$1

### 2610 PETUNIAS ON PARADE

Many varieties of recent introduction, among them being Cheerful, Peach Red, Flaming Velvet, Cream Star, Glow, Bright Eyes, and others of outstanding merit. Colors include red, white, blue, scarlet, salmon, rose-pink, etc. A well-balanced assortment of the finest single flowering petunias for a striking display in beds, borders and porch boxes.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00



# Burpee's Alldouble PETUNIAS

Burpee's Alldouble Petunias are truly gorgeous. The seeds are obtained at such high cost by hand-pollination that they are worth many times their weight in gold. Because seeds are so extremely valuable, extra care should be used in sowing them. Start seeds indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time; set young plants in the garden when weather and soil have become warm. All are excellent for beds, borders, window boxes, pot-plants and cutting; wherever used, they command instant admiration.



2466  
Alldouble Petunia,  
Colossal Shades of Rose  
Pkt. \$1.00

2466

## COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE

Biggest double petunia, many flowers over 5 in. across, varying in form from those with crisply fringed petals to those with nicely ruffled ones. Colors range from salmony pink through rose-pink to deep, rich, rosy mauve—a most attractive blending of rose shades. Grow 20 in. tall and spread up to 3 ft. across.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00;  
2 pkts. \$1.85; 5 pkts. \$4.50



2440  
Alldouble Petunia,  
America  
Pkt. 50c

## 2468 BURPEE ORCHID

Unusually lovely, 4 to 4½ in. across, of a rich, light orchid color with deep, rosy purple veins. Intense ruffling and deep fringing add to the beauty of the exquisite blooms. Plants are semi-erect, the main stems grow 18 to 24 in. tall, the long lateral branches spread as much as 3 ft. across.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 5 pkts. \$4.50

## 2489 MRS. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

Flowers grow 2¾ in. across; soft mid-salmon shade never before seen in any petunia. Plants are dwarf, bushy, good habit, 16 in. tall. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$2.00; 2 pkts. \$3.75; 3 pkts. \$5.25

## 2411 ROSE MARIE

Fully double flowers of a delightful shade of rose-pink, 3 in. and more across, are freely borne on dwarf, compact plants 18 in. tall and 30 in. or more across throughout the season. All-America Bronze Medal Winner.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00;  
2 pkts. \$1.85; 5 pkts. \$4.50

## 2440 AMERICA

The first alldouble petunia ever created in America. Flowers are rose-pink, of medium size, 2 in. and more across. Plants 1 ft. tall, 18 in. across. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢;  
2 pkts. 95¢; 1000 seeds \$3.50





# Burpee's All double Petunias



2466

## COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE

The biggest double petunias. Many over 5 in. across, some with fringed petals, others nicely ruffled. Colors vary from salmony pink to deep rose-pink, as pictured above. Magnificent.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00;

2 pkts. \$1.85; 5 pkts. \$4.50

## 2468 BURPEE ORCHID

Prettily fringed and deeply ruffled, light orchid colored, double flowers, 4 to 4½ in. across, with deep, rosy purple veins which add so much to their beauty. Prolific blooming.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00;

2 pkts. \$1.85; 5 pkts. \$4.50



# Burpee's Giant Ruffled SWEET PEAS

3413  
FLUFFY RUFFLES  
IMPROVED

3569  
EXQUISITE

3417  
WHITE

## Best 6 Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas

7376—6 pkts., one each of  
all six named varieties  
pictured on this page, **\$1**  
value \$1.50 for only

Separate varieties:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  
1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25

3598 **All Colors Mixed**

Those shown and others.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 Pkts. 45¢;  
1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00

3594  
BURPEE  
BLUE

3467  
BONNIE RUFFLES

3515  
CRIMSON



# Burpee's Giant Ruffled SWEET PEAS

*Originated on Burpee's Floradale Farms*

Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas are Burpee introductions, developed on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms in California. They are distinguished by the unusual duplexness and extra frilliness of the flowers. This gives a double appearance to the large, waved and ruffled flowers which makes them distinct and more attractive.

- 3467 **Bonnie Ruffles** Salmon-pink on rich cream ground.
- 3594 **Burpee Blue** Distinct, deep blue; bright and clear.
- 3518 **Crinkles** Rich cerise-pink handsomely suffused coral.
- 3413 **Fluffy Ruffles Improved** Dainty cream-pink.
- 3513 **Heyday** Deep rose-pink suffused amber near edges.
- 3148 **Royal Ruffles** Flashing, brilliant scarlet-cerise.
- 3565 **Ruffled Beauty** Cream-pink overlaid with lilac.
- 3612 **Ruffled Carmine** Bright and lovely carmine-rose.
- 3515 **Ruffled Crimson** Rich crimson, deeper at edges.
- 3569 **Ruffled Exquisite** Scintillating salmon-cerise.
- 3581 **Ruffled Mauve** Pleasing shade of pure mauve.
- 3568 **Ruffled Orchid** Lavender-pink; pastel mauve sheen.
- 3146 **Ruffled Pink** Pretty shade of deep rose-pink on cream.
- 3613 **Ruffled Primrose** The best deep primrose or cream.
- 3487 **Ruffled Rose** Pure shade of soft warm rose.
- 3501 **Ruffled Salmon Pink** Mid-salmon pink on cream.
- 3417 **Ruffled White** Outstanding white-seeded ruffled white.
- 3554 **Sparkle** Glowing cerise; duplexed, frilled and waved.

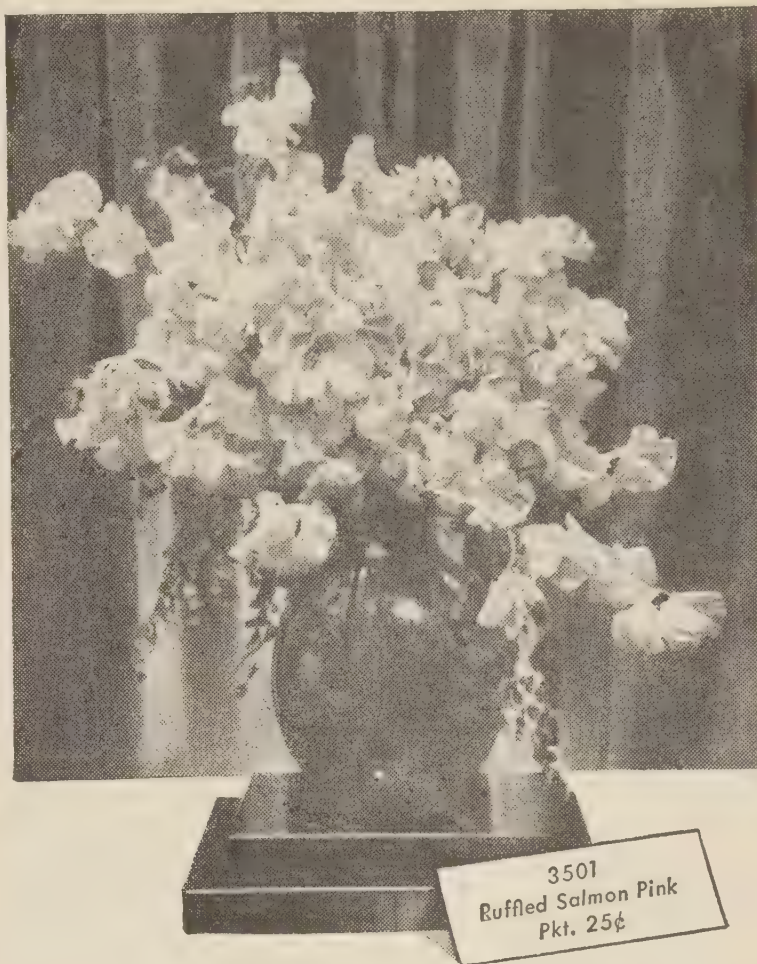
*Any of the above Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas:*

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

## 3598 Giant Ruffled, Mixed Colors

This outstanding mixture contains all of the named marvelous Giant Ruffled varieties offered above as well as many other colors of which we do not have as yet sufficient stock to offer separately. It is sure to make a glorious display and yield quantities of long-stemmed, extra large, prettily ruffled and frilled flowers for cutting. Many appear to be double; a bunch of a dozen sprays of Ruffled Sweet Peas looks twice the number of the regular Giants.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75



## Best 6 Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas

**Bonnie Ruffles** (salmon-pink), **Burpee Blue**, **Fluffy Ruffles Improved** (cream-pink) **Ruffled Crimson**, **Ruffled Exquisite** (salmon-cerise) and **Ruffled White**

**7376**—6 pkts., one each of these 6 varieties, each a distinct and lovely color, value \$1.50 for only **\$1**

# Burpee's Giant SWEET PEAS

**NOTE**—Varieties are arranged in each color class from deep to light shades

On this and the next two pages we list the very best and most distinct varieties of the World-Famous Burpee Giant Waved (or Spencer) Sweet Peas, including the famous Burpee Giant Ruffled varieties. From a long list we have selected only those with the largest and best formed flowers, longest and strongest stems and most desirable growing habits. The frilled flowers are mostly borne four to a stem. Each has been thoroughly tested and proved to be of high quality. **1 oz. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row.**

**\*We have marked with a star (\*) the varieties that we particularly like in each color class; if you are in doubt as to which to choose, make your selection from those thus marked.**

## WHITE AND CREAM

**3417 Ruffled White\*** A wonderful ruffled white-seeded white, with duplex and triplex standards. Flowers are very large and often five of them are borne to a stem. Great favorite for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3404 Burpee's Best White\*** The best white-seeded, white waved sweet pea. Large flowers of perfect form on long stems.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3439 Gigantic** An enormous black-seeded white of wonderful purity, exquisite texture and fine substance. Beautifully frilled flowers of artistic form are freely produced on extra long stems.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3438 Kames\*** Splendid black-seeded white; often five large, bold blooms are borne to a stem. Plants are strong growing.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3613 Ruffled Primrose\*** Best ruffled black-seeded cream or primrose, free from any pink or blush hue. Large, well duplexed and frilled flowers of perfect form are freely borne in fours.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3589 What Joy** Rich, deep primrose-yellow, changing to cream as the flowers age. White-seeded. Splendid in every way.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## ROSE, ROSE PINK AND BLUSH PINK

**3612 Ruffled Carmine** Bright and lovely carmine-rose. Charming, ruffled and frilled flowers on long, stiff stems.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3487 Ruffled Rose\*** Ruffled blooms of warm rich rose that glows softly and gives the blooms extra charm and beauty.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3619 Pinnacle\*** Rich, deep rose-pink with a suggestion of white near the base; stems are unusually long and strong.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3509 Pinkie** Clear deep rose-pink flowers on very long stems.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

**3445 Youth** Large white flowers with rose-pink picotee edge.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3403 Horn of Plenty (Multiflora)** Blush rose-pink which becomes lighter blush-pink towards the white center. Main feature is that the medium-large flowers are borne in fives and sixes to a stem when well grown. Free blooming and vigorous growing.

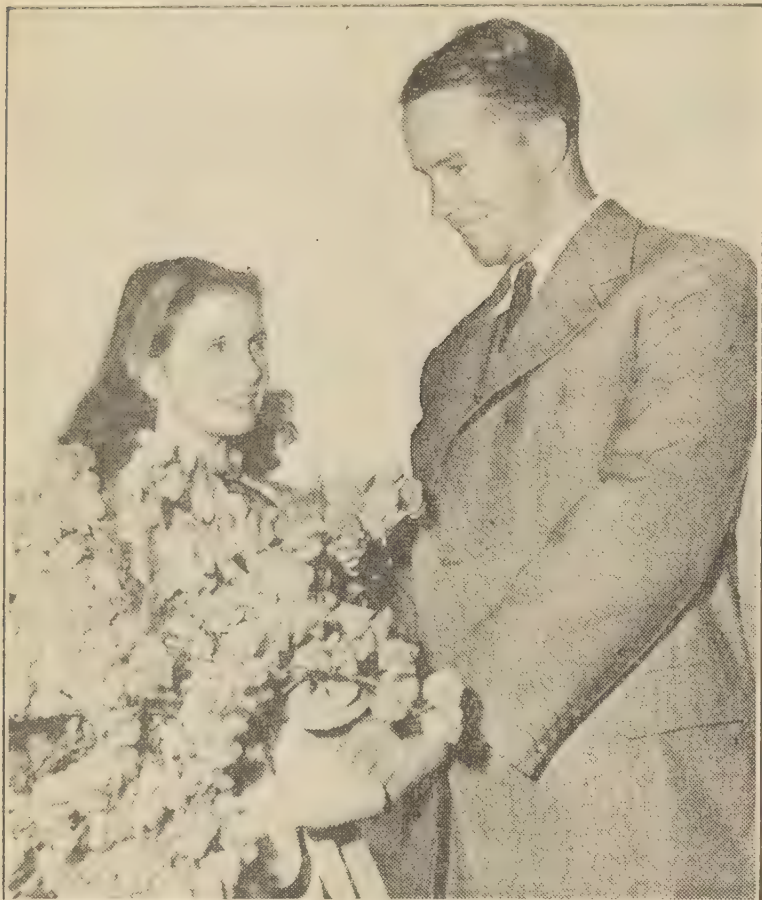
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

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# Burpee's Giant SWEET PEAS, continued

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The famous movie star, Margaret O'Brien, being presented with the new Margaret O'Brien Sweet Pea by W. Atlee Burpee, III, grandson of the founder of the Burpee Seed Business.

**3442 Margaret O'Brien\*** New for 1949. Distinctly different shade, radiant salmon-coral suffused with a luminous orange sheen. Winner of the Gold Medal, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$5.00

## CERISE

**3533 Fireflame\*** Flowers are large, often duplexed and a most attractive shade of scarlet-cerise. Strong, vigorous grower.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75

**3536 Grand Slam\*** Bright scarlet-cerise shaded orange; sun-proof. A showy color of great appeal for garden and cutting.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3148 Royal Ruffles** Brilliant scarlet-cerise flowers that are exceptionally large and beautifully ruffled; long, strong stems.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3522 Daddy Long Legs** Cerise veined and suffused scarlet to give a glowing scarlet-cerise effect. Extra long stems.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3622 Mavis** Rich salmon-cerise with a delicate orange sheen. Prettily frilled blooms, some are duplexed. Extra long stems.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3569 Ruffled Exquisite\*** Salmon-cerise with a glow of deeper salmon in the standards. Flowers are densely ruffled and waved.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3554 Sparkle** Glowing cerise evenly carried over standard and wings. Flowers are large, duplexed and handsomely frilled.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3518 Crinkles** Gorgeous shade of rich cerise-pink suffused coral. The flowers are heavily ruffled and nicely duplexed.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3456 Peer\*** Cerise-pink suffused salmon. Nicely waved.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## Six of the Best Giant Sweet Peas

**Crinkles** (cerise-pink), **Fireflame** (scarlet-cerise),  
**Heyday** (fancy, flushed), **Burpee Blue**,  
**Burpee's Best White** and **King Lavender**

**7330**—6 pkts., one each of these six varieties, enough seed for 15 ft. of row, value \$1.30 for only **85¢**

## Six Popular Giant Sweet Peas

**Ambition** (lavender), **Blue Bird**,  
**Grand Slam** (scarlet-cerise), **Kames** (white),  
**Ruffled Beauty** (deep pink on cream) and **Ruffled Rose**

**7613**—6 pkts., one each of these 6 named varieties, value \$1.00 for only **75¢**

**7622**—6 half ozs., ½ oz. of each variety, value \$3.10 for only **\$2.50**

## PINK ON CREAM

**3617 Rapture** Delightful shade of deep rose-pink on a rich creamy white ground. Profuse blooming. Extra long stems.  
Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

**3436 Queen Wilhelmina\*** Most attractively waved flowers of soft rose-pink on cream are borne in fours on long stems.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3565 Ruffled Beauty** Cream-pink with sheen of bright lilac giving a silvery pink on amber effect. Exquisitely ruffled.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3146 Ruffled Pink** Large, wonderfully ruffled flowers of deep rose-pink on cream, becoming lighter toward the edges.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3413 Fluffy Ruffles Improved\*** Dainty deep cream-pink giant blooms, beautifully ruffled, waved and heavily frilled.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

## SALMON PINK

**3480 Clare Boothe Luce\*** Flowers are a most exquisite shade of deep salmon-pink. Winner of the Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Very free blooming.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25

**3147 Aristocrat** Prettily frilled flowers nicely placed on long, strong stems. Clear pink on white lightly suffused salmon.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3501 Ruffled Salmon Pink** Large flowers, beautifully duplexed and ruffled, and consistently borne in fours on long, strong stems. The standard is mid-salmon-pink on cream becoming lighter near edge with a cream margin adding to its beauty.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3485 Lovely Pink\*** Bright, liquid-clear, sparkling salmon-pink on a cream ground, uniform throughout the surface of the flower. Blooms are extra large, wax-like and beautifully waved.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

**3410 The Burpee Improved\*** Soft, luminous, refined fawn salmon-pink. Strong, vigorous grower. Stems are extra long and bear four large flowers of excellent form. Appealing shade.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3448 Pacific** Deeper fawn-pink lightly suffused coral-pink. The wings are a glorious blending of golden pink and wild rose.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3467 Bonnie Ruffles** Salmon-pink on warm cream, the pink becoming a little deeper toward the edges of standard and wings. The salmon-pink, which completely overlays a background of cream or primrose, gives a unique golden pink appearance. Winner of Gold Medal, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.25

## ORANGE AND SCARLET

**3465 Fordhook Orange** Bright salmon-orange flowers that never fail to attract attention. Popular shade for cutting.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3524 Orange Flame** Deepest orange sweet pea, a glorious color if plants are shaded to protect them from sunburn.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3468 Startler\*** Flowers are very large, many duplexed. Color is a bright scarlet suffused orange; entirely distinct.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3584 Thriller** Deep orange-scarlet; dazzling and brilliant.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**3539 Welcome\*** Dazzling, deep scarlet-vermilion. Showy.  
Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

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the varieties that we prefer in each color class; if you are in doubt as to which to choose, make your selection from those thus marked. All, however, are lovely and desirable. In each color class, we have arranged varieties from deep to light shades.



# Burpee's Giant SWEET PEAS

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## Nine Giant Flowered Sweet Peas with Extra Long Stems

Nine different colored varieties; each is extra long stemmed and valuable for exhibition, garden or home decoration.

**Ambition** (lavender-lilac); **Amethyst** (clear blue);  
**Daddy Long Legs** (scarlet-cerise); **Gigantic** (white);  
**Mavis** (salmon-cerise); **Rapture** (deep pink on cream);  
**Red Boy** (crimson); **Ruffled Carmine** (carmine-rose)  
and **The Burpee Improved** (fawn salmon-pink).

**7321**—9 pkts., one pkt. of each, enough seed to plant 25 ft. of row, value \$1.30 for **\$1.00**

**7322**—9 half ozs., 1/2 oz. of each, enough seed for 100 ft. of row, value \$4.05 for only **\$3.50**

## FANCY AND FLAKED

**3513 Heyday** Rose-pink enlivened by suffusions of amber or primrose toward the edges. Prettily ruffled and duplexed.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

**3149 Salmon Fantasy** Salmon rose-pink set off by the white of the standard and the inside of the wings. Quite striking.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

## BLUE

**3507 The Admiral** Dark navy blue. Long, sturdy stems.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3563 Flagship\*** Deep navy blue flowers of large size and perfect form are artistically placed on long, strong stems. Silver Medal Winner, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

**3594 Burpee Blue\*** Distinct deep blue, uniform color throughout the standard and wings. Ruffled and duplexed.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

**3412 Blue Bird** A really true blue sweet pea. General favorite.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3415 Amethyst** Bright clear amethyst-blue. Long stems.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3545 Capri** Beautiful light blue; vigorous grower. Very nice.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

## PURPLE AND MAUVE

**3457 Floradale Purple** True purple shade of charming softness. Showy and attractive. Large four-flowered sprays.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3581 Ruffled Mauve** Ruffled blooms of a pleasing shade of pure mauve becoming slightly lighter toward the edges.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

**3431 Chieftain\*** Satiny mauve free from any purple shading.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

**3568 Ruffled Orchid** Lavender-pink with a pastel-mauve sheen that produces an orchid shade. Flowers are well ruffled.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

## MAROON AND CRIMSON

**3576 The Sultan\*** Velvety black-maroon. Long stemmed, large flowers and very free blooming. Darkest of all sweet peas.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

**3591 Warrior** The popular chocolate-maroon. Unique color.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3590 Red Boy** Bright deep crimson with a velvety sheen throughout the standard and wings. Extra long stems. Showy.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

**3515 Ruffled Crimson\*** Rich satiny crimson that deepens a trifle toward the edges of standard and wings. Very large.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

## LAVENDER

**3428 Ambition** Beautiful lavender-lilac with a darker shade at the base of the standard and wings. Extra long stems.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.00

**3437 King Lavender\*** A fine, clear light lavender sweet pea. Flowers are very large and borne freely on long stems.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

## Burpee Special Mixtures of Giant Sweet Peas

### 3599 The Burpee Blend Mixture

Carefully composed blend or mixture of the very finest sweet peas, including all the best colors represented in the right quantity of each for a wonderful display in the garden and for cutting.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50; 1/2 lb. \$4.50

### 3601 Burpee Novelty Mixture

All the finest new named giant sweet peas in a wide assortment of exquisite colors. Each variety is grown separately (not in a general mixture) and then properly blended according to color values. Also included are some unnamed choice seedlings of which we do not have as yet sufficient stock to offer separately.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

### 3598 Burpee's Giant Ruffled Mixed

Very choice assortment of all colors in this new type in an outstanding mixture. Fully described on page 33.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

### 3600 Light Shades Mixed

Most pleasing shades of pink, light cerise, lavender, light blue, flaked and striped as well as white and cream.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

### 3603 Cupid Spencer Mixed

Lovely large blooms of true Spencer form, borne profusely on small trailing plants growing not more than 9 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

## HEAT-RESISTANT, SPRING FLOWERING or CUTHBERTSON SWEET PEAS

Come into bloom, outdoors, about 10 days before the Giants and remain in bloom the same length of time. Plants are quite vigorous and produce a heavy crop of large, long-stemmed blooms. Heat-resistant and therefore especially adapted to localities where sweet peas have heretofore been more or less unsuccessful. Under glass they are unusually free flowering and prolong the spring cutting season.

**3469 Light Blue** (Tommy) Most pleasing clear lobelia-blue.

**3479 Lavender** Lovely soft shade of lavender. Attractive.

**3472 Mauve** (Jessie) Rich mauve over entire surface. Charming.

**3474 Rose Pink** (Lois) Light rose-pink on white. Exquisite.

**3473 Salmon Pink on Cream** (Evelyn) Delicate tone.

**3476 Scarlet** (Coline) Almost scarlet-cerise. Of great appeal.

**3477 White** (Janet) Remarkable pure color. Black-seeded.

**3483 All Colors Mixed** All those listed and others.

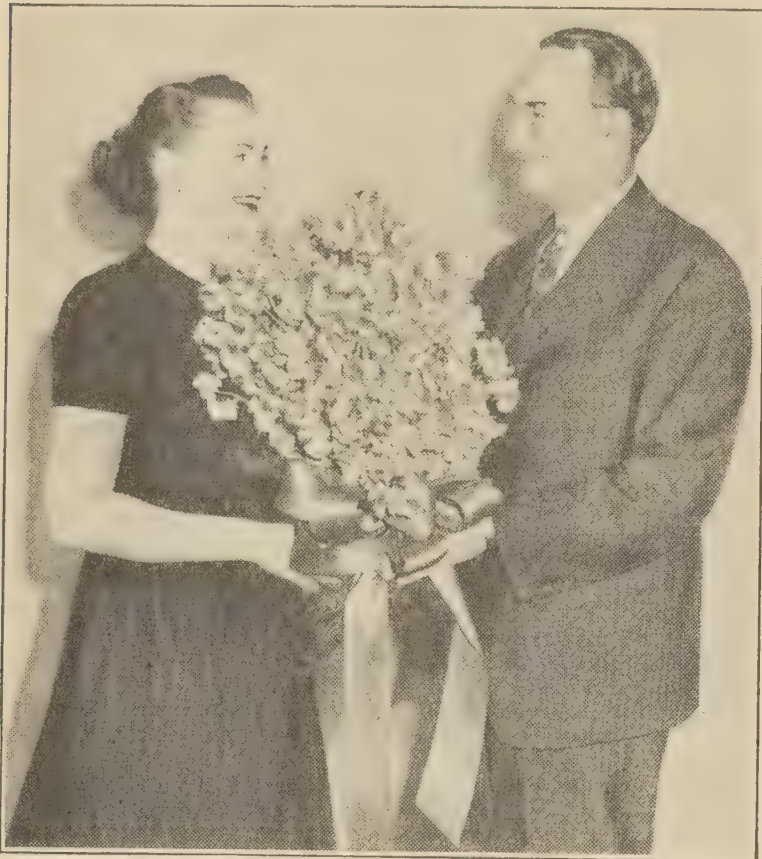
Any of the Spring Flowering Sweet Peas: Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

**7355**—7 pkts., one each of the above 7 separate colors of Heat-resistant, Spring Flowering Sweet Peas, enough seed to plant 20 ft. of row, value \$1.75 for only **\$1**



# Early Flowering SWEET PEAS

Burpee's Early Flowering Sweet Peas come into bloom outdoors before the summer heat arrives—usually 3 to 4 weeks earlier than the Burpee Giant varieties. They are valuable for winter flowering under glass, also especially adapted for growing in frost-free sections and for earliest blooms outdoors in the North. Sweet Peas do best in cool weather. If seed was not sown in the fall, sow as early in the spring as the ground can be prepared. All types of sweet peas prefer an open, sunny location, and deep, rich soil which must be well drained.



Film and stage actress June Lockhart with a bouquet of sweet peas presented to her by David Burpee who created this new variety and named it in her honor.

**3322 June Lockhart** New for 1949. Gorgeous, soft, golden fawn-pink flowers, nicely waved, many duplexed. Most impressive.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75

## SALMON PINK

**3161 Joseph** Soft and pleasing bright salmon-pink on cream.  
**3365 Mrs. Douglas MacArthur\*** Deep salmon-pink on a creamy white ground. Extra large, attractively waved flowers.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3316 Mrs. Thomas Edison\*** Rich salmon-pink beautifully ruffled blooms shading to lighter pink and cream at the base.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75

**3356 Bridesmaid** Clear light salmon-pink on white ground.

**3162 Golden Pink\*** Outstanding color—glowing golden or soft fawn-pink. Especially beautiful under artificial light. Large.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3309 World's Fair** Light golden cream faintly overlaid with a delicate suffusion of fawn becoming deeper toward the edges.

## SALMON AND SALMON CERISE

**3368 Burpee's Salmon** Rich salmon with coppery sheen.

**3155 Better Baltimore\*** Rosy cerise suffused salmon.

**3351 Inspiration** Large, nicely waved salmon-cerise flowers.

**3156 Vera** Gorgeous blending of salmon-cerise.

## ROSE PINK

**3352 Annie Laurie** Pure rose-pink flowers of splendid form.

**3339 Ball's Rose** Rich deep rose suffused salmon-pink.

**3355 Josie** Flowers are very large. Deep rose-pink.

**3393 Shirley Temple\*** Charming shade of soft rose-pink.

**3349 Burpee's Giant Pink\*** Clear rose-pink. Lovely shade.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

## WHITE AND CREAM

**3390 Burpee's White** White-seeded pure glistening white.

**3395 White Giant\*** Extra choice white-seeded purest white.

**3334 Oriental** Deep cream or primrose. Black-seeded. Waved.

## SCARLET

**3361 Kate Smith\*** Bright scarlet with slight suffusion of rose.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3310 Grenadier** Remarkably intense, brilliant poppy-scarlet.

**3157 Lively** Vivid scarlet-cerise heavily overlaid with orange.

## ORANGE AND ORANGE PINK

**3346 Mrs. August Belmont** The deepest orange.

**3329 Burpee's Orange Improved\*** Clear orange.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3341 Osa Johnson\*** Light salmon-orange frilled blooms.

**3370 Ann Batchelder\*** Orange-salmon flushed copper-pink.

**3159 Supreme Orange** Bright and lively orange-pink.

## ORANGE SALMON

**3328 Helen Hayes\*** Appealing shade of soft orange-salmon.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3318 Patrice Munsel** Deep orange-salmon; cerise undertone.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

## CRIMSON AND ROSE

**3396 Red Chief\*** Crimson with a rosy cast. Very large flowers.

**3384 American Beauty** Crimson-rose; excellent color.

**3306 Pearl Buck\*** Rich rose standard with an orange tinge.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

## BLUE

**3388 Boy Blue** Large, dark navy blue flowers of fine form.

**3330 WAVES\*** Flowers are unusually large. Color is mid-blue.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3332 Felice Gunther** Clear Cambridge-blue. Long stems.

**3160 Blue Jay\*** Pure mid-blue with soft mid-blue edges.

**3304 Mrs. Herbert Hoover\*** Fine rich blue. Attractive.

**3391 Princess Blue\*** Considered the best early bright blue.

## MAUVE AND LAVENDER

**3381 Triumph** Beautiful soft lilac-mauve. Free bloomer.

**3383 Michigan** A fine true deep lavender; nice even shade.

**3302 Burpee's Lavender\*** Lovely light wisteria-lavender.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3312 Harmony** Most desirable pure lavender. Pleasing tone.

## BICOLOR

**3345 Christmas Triumph** Bright pink standard with white wings and a cream keel. Comes into bloom very early.

## SPECIAL BLENDS—EARLY FLOWERING

**3300 Finest Mixture** A well-balanced and complete mixture of all the best named varieties in a wide range of choice colors.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

**3401 Light Shades** This special mixture includes only light shades, such as white, cream, pink, salmon, lavender, etc.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.75

### Six Early Flowering Sweet Peas

Blue Jay, Helen Hayes (orange-salmon), Josie (rose-pink), Pearl Buck (rose), Red Chief and White Giant

7350—6 pkts., one each of these 6 named varieties, enough seed for 15 ft. of row, value \$1.10 for only 85¢



## FORGET-ME-NOT—Myosotis®

If sown early, Alpestris varieties will bloom in early spring; they delight in well-drained soil and a sunny location. Other varieties listed will flower from May until frost and prefer cool, moist loam and half-shade. Both groups are old favorites, highly prized for beds, borders, rock gardens, pots and cutting. Plants are dwarf, compact and grow 1 ft. tall.



2070 Forget-me-not, Alpestris Blue Pkt. 15¢

### Alpestris Varieties

**2070 Blue** Brilliant blue flowers are borne in the greatest profusion. Dainty; popular.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2007 Royal Blue** Long sprays of rich blue flowers. Also known as Indigo Blue.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2073 Mixed Colors** White, rose and varying shades of blue in a grand mixture.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2077 Blue Bird** Deep blue. Good for summer as well as indoor winter flowering.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 50¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**2068 Palustris** Large sprays of brightest blue flowers literally cover the plants.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2074 Palustris semperflorens** Clear sky-blue flowers. Plants are everblooming.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2075 Ruth Fischer** Very large brilliant blue flowers. Fine for pots; nice outdoors.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00

## Chinese Forget-me-not—Cynoglossum

Graceful, loose sprays of large forget-me-not-like flowers are freely produced throughout the summer on strong plants. Splendid for garden. Of easiest culture; stands heat.

**1689 Blanche Burpee** Named in honor of Mrs. W. Atlee Burpee. This outstanding mixture contains colors never before found in Chinese forget-me-nots. Included are white, deep blue, and various shades of light and mid-blue. As blue and white flowers are so airy and graceful, this choice mixture is highly prized for garden decoration. The plants grow 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**1895 Firmament** Dwarf, bushy plants, 15 in. high, covered with bright indigo-blue flowers for a long time during the summer. A "blue" gem for dwarf borders, edgings and rock gardens. Stiff, upright stems.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**1977 Snow Bird** The habit of the plants and form of flowers are the same as those of Blanche Burpee, but the color of the flowers is pure snowy white. 2 1/2 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢



Chinese Forget-me-not  
1689 Blanche Burpee Pkt. 25¢



3937 Geranium,  
Floradale Fancy Mixed Pkt. 25¢

## GERANIUM

**3937 Floradale Fancy Mixed** Enormous flower heads in many colors, including white, shades of pink, rose, salmon and scarlet to deep crimson, in mixture. Very easily grown from seed. Popular plants for garden and window-boxes; make excellent house plants as they can be had in bloom almost all the year 'round. Our specially selected strain grown on Burpee's Floradale Farms.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

## GAMOLEPIS®

**2079 Tagetes** A wonderful plant for edgings, borders or low beds, as they are of compact, bushy growth, about 6 in. tall, and completely covered with small flowers, 1 1/4 in. across, of the purest yellow. Blooms early and continues profusely until fall.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

## GERBERA—Transvaal Daisy☐

**2089 Jamesoni Hybrids** Large, attractive, daisy-like blooms in a wide range of shades of yellow, orange, white, scarlet, crimson, pink, etc. Prized for cutting. May be grown indoors as a winter house plant; outdoors during the summer. Hardy in frost-free locations. Grow 1 to 2 ft. tall.  
Pkt. (25 seeds) 25¢; 100 seeds 75¢

## GILIA—Thimble Flower☐

**2095 Capitata Blue** Soft lavender-blue, round thimble-shaped flowers, 1 in. across, freely produced from July until frost on 2 ft. plants. Flowers last well when cut.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

## ANNUAL GAILLARDIAS☐

One of the most dependable and profuse blooming plants in the garden. Stands drought and hot weather, so that quantities of large, brilliantly colored, long-stemmed flowers can be had throughout the summer and fall. Excellent for beds and cutting. Easily grown in any good garden soil in full sunlight. Take your choice of double or single flowers; each is beautiful. Plants grow 15 in. and more high.

### Large Flowered Double

The beautiful large double flowers are made up of numerous tubular or quilled petals.

**2009 Fiesta** Fully double, bright smoky red flowers tipped yellow are freely borne throughout the summer. The color combination is suggestive of the gay and colorful Spanish fiestas.

**2081 Primrose** Clear, light primrose.

**2083 Red** Most pleasing claret-red.

**2082 Yellow** Rich deep yellow shade.

Any of above Large Flowered Double Gaillardias: Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**2027 Sunshine** Showy blend ranging from almost self red with slight, though sharply contrasting, yellow tipping to less and less red until some flowers are pure yellow. Very large flowers are freely produced on long, strong stems.

**2086 Gaiety Mixture** Claret, yellow, sulphur, orange, maroon, with many often combined in the one flower.

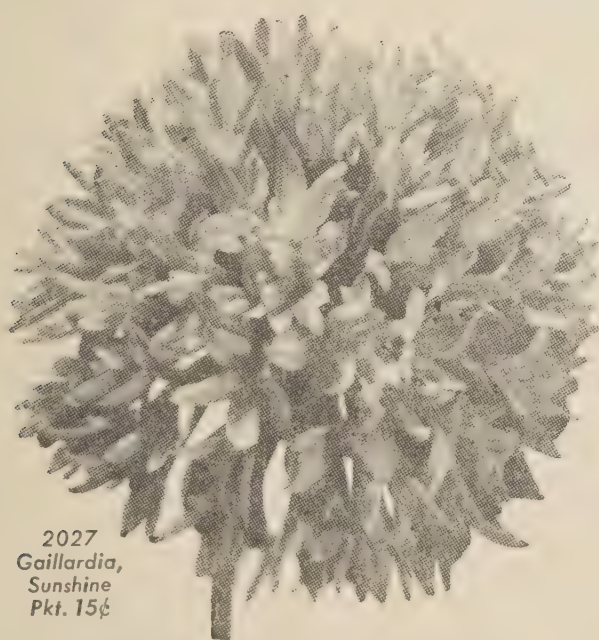
### Large Flowered Single

Long-stemmed, gorgeously colored, daisy-like, single flowers; fine for garden and cutting.

**2085 Indian Chief** Metallic bronzy red flowers with dark mahogany-brown center.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**2084 Single, Mixed Colors** Many fine colors and color combinations in mixture.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢

Perennial Gaillardia, see page 52.



2027  
Gaillardia,  
Sunshine  
Pkt. 15¢

### Large Flowered Double Gaillardias

**Fiesta, Primrose, Red and Yellow**

7845—4 pkts., one each of these four, value 60¢ for only **45¢**





2838 *Globe Amaranth, Mixed Colors* Pkt. 10¢

## GLOBE AMARANTH

### *Gomphrena globosa, Everlasting*

**2838 Mixed Colors** Attractive, clover-like, white, pink, flesh and red strawy flower heads, about  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. across, in a choice mixture. Bloom from midsummer until frost. May be used as fresh cut-flowers during the summer or dried as an everlasting for winter decoration alone or with other so-called "strawflowers." 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

## GLOXINIA

**3955 Giant Flowered Mixed** Inverted bell-shaped flowers in white, blue, rose, purple, and red shades, many self-colored, others spotted or mottled. Very showy.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

*Gloxinia Bulbs, see page 113.*



2953 *Ornamental Gourds, Large and Small, Fine Mixed* Pkt. 10¢

## ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

The ripened fruits are used for ornaments and in recent years have become extremely popular for home decoration.

### Large Fruited

**2938 Dishcloth** (Luffa) When ripe, the interior resembles fibrous cloth; dried and seeds removed, may be used as a sponge.

### Small Fruited

**2931 Apple** Shaped like an apple; round, light yellow to white, without markings.

**2932 Orange** In color and shape they resemble an orange. Heavier than Apple.

**2934 Pear Shape** Striped and splashed with irregular bands of green and yellow.

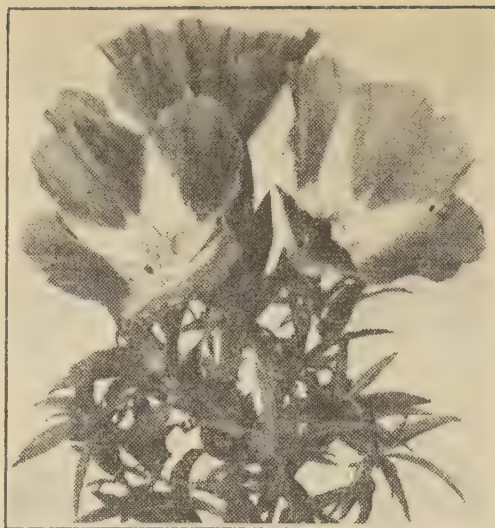
*Any of the above Gourds:*

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**2953 Fine Mixed** All the large and small-fruited gourds listed separately as well as some other good ones in mixture. An interesting collection of different shapes.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢

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2358 *Godetia, Kelvedon Glory* Pkt. 15¢

## GODETIA—Satin Flower

Attractive bushy plants with masses of large, colorful blooms during the summer and fall. Thrive best in a cool, moist soil and a half-shady location. Ideally suited for beds and borders. Nice for cutting.

**2358 Kelvedon Glory** Vivid salmon-orange, each petal margined white. 18 in. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70¢

**2098 Sybil Sherwood** Salmon-pink softened by an edging of white. 16 to 20 in. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70¢

**2088 All Colors Mixed** Rose, carmine, pink, cattleya-blue, white, etc., in many shades and combinations. 12 to 15 in. Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

**2078 Dwarf Show Mixture** Large single blooms, 2½ to 3 in. across, in shades of rose, pink, scarlet, lavender and white, are borne on dwarf, bushy plants 1 ft. high.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70¢

## ORNAMENTAL GRASS

**2863 Briza maxima** (*Quaking Grass*) The bushy plants grow 12 to 15 in. tall and bear a profusion of oddly formed, flattened cone-shaped heads. Useful for edges in beds and borders. May be dried for winter decoration. Nice to mix with other everlastings.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢



1929 *Gypsophila, King of the Market* Pkt. 10¢

## GYPSOPHILA

### *Annual Baby's Breath*

Well-known, open, bell-shaped blooms used so much for mixing with other flowers in bouquets and vases. Easy to grow in any soil. Blooms quickly; make several sowings two weeks apart for continuous display.

**2111 Carmine** Rich carmine. 1½ ft.

**2093 Rose** Pure bright rose. 1½ ft.

**2359 Scarlet** Distinct color. 20 in.

*Any of the above Gypsophilas:*

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85¢

**1929 King of the Market** Plants are rugged and upright in growth, bearing many sprays filled with very large, pure white flowers. Early bloomer. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

*Perennial Gypsophila, see page 52.*



2840 *Helichrysum, Fire Ball* Pkt. 15¢

## HELICHRYSUM—Strawflower

Our improved strain produces large and fully double flowers, often 2½ in. and more across; they are borne profusely from midsummer until late fall. Helichrysums are the most widely grown of all everlastings for winter bouquets and are popular too as fresh cut-flowers. Plants grow 2½ ft. tall.

**2840 Fire Ball** Brilliant metallic crimson.

**2842 Golden Ball** Silky golden yellow.

**2847 Rose Queen** Various shades of rose.

**2848 Salmon Queen** Bright salmon.

**2844 Snowball** Glistening white; popular.

**2845 Canary Yellow** Unusually rich.

*Any of the above Helichrysums:*

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85¢

**2846 Mixed Colors** Carefully blended mixture of the above and other colors.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢



2101 *Heliotrope, Mme. Bruant* Pkt. 15¢

## HELIOTROPE

Everyone loves the fragrance and beauty of heliotrope. Excellent bedding plants in summer; desirable pot-plants during winter. Succeeds in any good soil and full sun.

**2101 Mme. Bruant** Dark violet-blue with a contrasting white eye. 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00

**2109 Giant Hybrids Mixed** Many shades ranging from pure white to violet-blue. Very large heads of rare beauty. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢

## ANNUAL HOLLYHOCK

Like the perennial hollyhocks in plant habit and will last for several years. They are named "Annual" because the plants will flower the first season from seed if it is started early. Nice for backgrounds.

**2012 Indian Spring** Semi-double fringed flowers in shades of pink from bright rose to rosy carmine. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. high. *All-America Silver Medal Winner.*

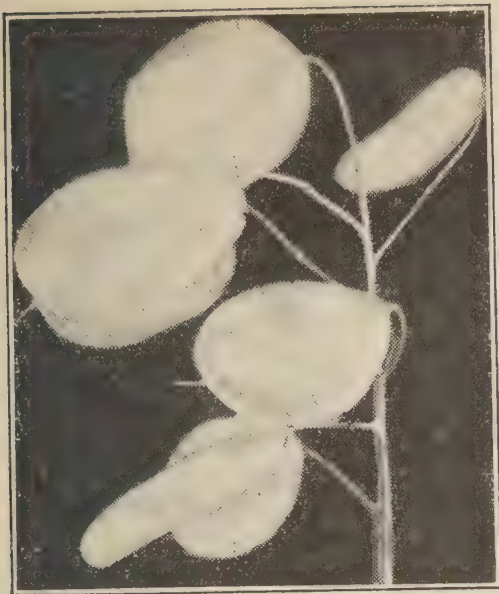
Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75¢

**2110 Mixed** Single, semi-double and double flowers in a wide range of pretty colors. In bloom for many weeks. 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢

*Perennial Hollyhocks, see page 53.*

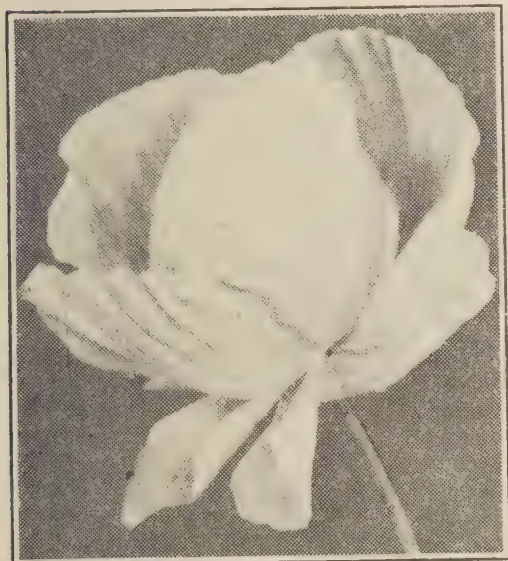




2239 Honesty (*Lunaria annua*) Pkt. 15¢

### HONESTY—*Lunaria annua*

2239 A popular everlasting, grown extensively for the silvery white, paper-like, flattened partitions of the round seed pods, which, when dried, make attractive winter decorations. Purple flowers. 1½ to 2½ ft. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.15



2096 Hunnemannia, Sunlite Pkt. 15¢

### HUNNEMANNIA

#### Santa Barbara Poppy

2096 Sunlite Semi-double, canary-yellow, tulip-shaped flowers with an extra row of short petals on the outside. Blooms from July until frost. Excellent for vases if flowers are cut while in bud. Grows anywhere but does best in well-limed sandy soil. 2 ft. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

### JOB'S TEARS—*Coix lacryma*

2868 An ornamental grass which does well anywhere in ordinary soil; widely grown for its large, gray seeds which, when dried, are strung as beads. Grow 2 to 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 2 ozs. 50¢

### LINUM—*Flax*

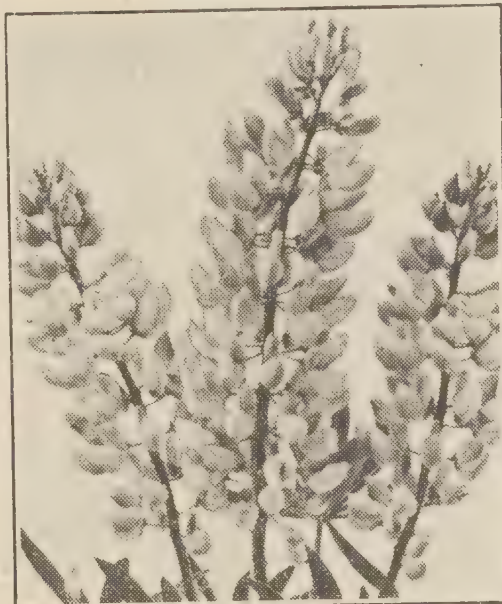
2137 Grandiflorum rubrum Brilliant crimson flowers, 1 in. and more across, and, while they last only one day, new blooms appear every morning. 15 to 18 in. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢



2119 Kochia, Giant Christmas Pkt. 10¢

### KOCHIA—*Burning Bush*

2119 Giant Christmas Symmetrical oval plants, 3 ft. tall, resembling an ornamental evergreen. Fine for summer hedges. Light green foliage turns carmine in late fall. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢



2162 Lupine, Hartwegi Mixed Pkt. 10¢

### ANNUAL LUPINE

2162 Hartwegi, Mixed Colors Long, graceful spikes of blue, rose and white pea-shaped flowers during July and August. Prefer lime-free, moist soil and partial shade. Make good border plants. 2 ft. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢

2158 Texas Blue Bonnet (*L. subcarnosus*) Bushy plants bearing a profusion of rich deep blue pea-shaped flowers with heart-shaped blotch of rosy pink. The Texas State Flower. Does well in dry locations. Blooms in June. Plants grow 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢

Perennial Lupine, see page 54.

### For explanation of symbols:

RCMD and S, see page 20.



2130 Lavatera, Loveliness Pkt. 15¢

### LAVATERA—Annual Mallow

2130 Loveliness Large bowl-shaped pink flowers shaded carmine on shrubby 2 ft. plants from midsummer until frost.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

### LINARIA—Toad Flax

2169 Marocana, Excelsior Mixed Dwarf, free-flowering plants with small spikes of dainty snapdragon-like flowers. Shades of crimson and gold, pink, mauve, blue, chamois, and rose, blotched with different shades on the lip. 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



2143 Lobelia, Mrs. Clibran Improved Pkt. 15¢

### LOBELIA

Easily grown, useful plants covered with flowers throughout the season. The compact varieties are fine for beds, borders, edgings, ribbon bedding and rock gardens; the trailing varieties may be used for flower boxes, hanging baskets and pots.

2146 Gracilis Blue (*Spreading plants*) Rich ultramarine-blue flowers. 10 in. high. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

2148 Hamburgia (*Trailing*) Graceful long branches covered with lovely sky-blue flowers with a white eye. Most exquisite. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

2149 Sapphire (*Trailing*) Large, deep blue flowers with showy pure white eye. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 85¢

### Compact Varieties

2006 Blue Gown Flowers are deep blue without eye; dwarf, compact plants. 4 in. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 85¢

2150 Blue Stone Attractive, clear mid-blue flowers without an eye. 4 in. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 85¢

2152 Cambridge Blue True Cambridge-blue flowers. Plants grow 5 to 6 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 85¢

2145 Crystal Palace Rich deep blue flowers; dark foliage. A favorite. 4 in. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

2143 Mrs. Clibran Improved Dark blue with white eye; dwarf, compact plants 4 in. high, always covered with showy flowers. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

2144 Pumila splendens Deep navy blue flowers with contrasting white eye. 4 in. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

2147 Finest Mixed Many varieties and different shades in mixture. 4 to 6 in. tall. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

### 15 Showy and Easily Grown Annual Flowers

Aster, Fordhook Favorite Mixed

Calendula, All Varieties Mixed

Calliopsis, Tall Mixed

Carnation, Giant Marguerite Mixed

Centaurea cyanus, Blue Boy

Cosmos, Early Single Flowering Mixed

Four O'Clocks, Tall Mixed

Zinnia, Giants of California, All Colors Mixed

Larkspur, Tall Double Mixed

Marigold, Tall African Double Mixed

Pansy, Trimardeau Mixed

Petunia, Bedding, All Colors Mixed

Phlox Drummondii, Finest Mixed

Sweet Alyssum, Little Gem

Verbena, Giant Flowered Mixed

7410—15 pkts., one each of these 15 separate varieties, value \$1.85 for only \$1



# Burpee's Fragrant NASTURTIIUMS

2305  
Dwarf Giant Double  
Nasturtium,  
Orange Glory  
Pkt. 15¢

Ever popular plants of the easiest culture, blooming most profusely in ordinary, well-drained garden soil; if overly rich it will cause plants to produce more leaves than flowers. They are most useful plants for dry, sandy, or gravelly locations. Nasturtiums may be had in a great variety of shades and color combinations, single or double flowers and semi-tall or dwarf growing. Their varied colors, different shapes and refreshing fragrance make them most desirable for cutting.

## Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums

Plants are of compact, bush or globular form, about 1 ft. high and 1½ ft. across. The gorgeous, giant double and semi-double sweet-scented flowers are produced most freely on very long stems, which makes them especially fine for cutting. Irregularly placed petal formation gives the blooms an unusually artistic appearance. Plants are dwarf, rounded and covered with flowers. Most attractive in beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens and pots. Uniform habit of growth.

**2338 Cherry Rose** An exquisite shade of soft cherry-rose. Flowers grow 2½ to 3 in. across and are produced earlier and more profusely than any other variety. Wonderful for cutting; very showy in the garden.

**2306 Delightful** Soft salmon-cerise, the upper petals oddly marked crimson-maroon at base. Flowers become deeper salmon-cerise with age.

**2336 Garnet Gem** Deep, rich, very bright garnet-red. The delightfully sweet-scented flowers have enough orange suffusion to enliven them with an iridescent glow that is most pleasing. Striking color.

**2329 Golden Globe** Exquisite, giant double and semi-double, pure golden yellow blooms cover the dwarf globe shaped plants.

**2346 Mahogany Gem** Darkest colored nasturtium we have ever seen; flowers are of a rich velvety deep but brilliant mahogany.

**2305 Orange Glory** The large, sweet-scented flowers are bright orange, with wonderfully fluted and crinkled petals; base of each of the upper ones and inside of throat distinctly painted deep garnet-brown.

**2348 Primrose Gem** Giant double, sweet-scented, soft primrose colored flowers are freely produced throughout the entire season.

**2327 Scarlet Globe** Showy, giant double and semi-double, sweet-scented, fiery scarlet blooms are borne in the greatest profusion.

### 2330 Dwarf Giant Double, Mixed Colors

Colorful mixture of double flowers in beautiful shades from creamy white through yellow, rose, salmon, salmon-pink, orange, cerise, scarlet, blood-red, crimson and mahogany to deep maroon, including many interesting color combinations and charming variegated markings.

Any of the above Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums:

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

### Six Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums

Cherry Rose, Garnet Gem, Golden Globe, Delightful, Mahogany Gem and Orange Glory

7522—6 pkts., one each of these six named Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums, value 90¢ for **75¢**

## Semi-Tall Giant Double Nasturtiums (Gleam Type)

Flowers are extra large, exquisitely sweet-scented, double and semi-double; plants are semi-tall, of strong, vigorous growth and splendid for beds, broad borders or as ground covers. May be trained upon strings or wire. Valuable for cutting, as flowers keep for a long time.

**2345 Apricot** Primrose overlaid with a soft salmon-pink suffusion combining into a most pleasing shade of light apricot. Quite unusual.

**2323 Fiesta** Bright golden yellow blotched scarlet at base of the petals, the scarlet often extending over the entire surface as flowers age.

**2328 Golden Gleam** Beautiful, rich golden yellow, sweet-scented long-stemmed flowers. Profuse blooming. First variety in this class.

**2325 Loveliness** The semi-double flowers are vivid salmon-cerise with pencilings of mahogany towards the base of the two upper petals.

**2316 Burpee's Mahogany** Extremely dark shade of deep velvety mahogany-red. Striking; unusual. Nice alone or with light shades.

**2321 Orange Gleam** Deep orange, with dark mahogany zone at base of the upper petals. Effective combination of these colors.

**2326 Burpee's Scarlet** Fiery, vivid orange-scarlet—the most brilliant in the tall double group. Large flowers in greatest profusion.

Any of the above Semi-Tall Giant Double Nasturtiums:

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**2313 Tigered Flowered Mixed** Flowers are of many bizarre markings; some blotched or mottled with deep colors on a lighter ground. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

### 2331 Semi-Tall Giant Double, Mixed Colors

Wonderful array of colors from pale primrose through yellow, salmon-pink and salmon to deep maroon and mahogany. Many of the flowers are peculiarly variegated or blotched.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.75

### Five Tall Giant Double Nasturtiums

Burpee's Mahogany, Burpee's Scarlet, Golden Gleam, Loveliness and Orange Gleam

7521—5 pkts., one each of these five Semi-Tall Giant Double Nasturtiums, value 75¢ for **60¢**

## Burpee's Old-Fashioned Single Nasturtiums

Because of their charm and old-fashioned loveliness, single-flowered nasturtiums are much in demand. We offer two mixtures, one of the tall or climbing, the other Tom Thumb or dwarf. There is a place for both tall and dwarf types in every garden, whether it be the single flowered type with five regularly placed petals or the doubles (listed above) with eight to ten irregularly placed petals. Good for all purposes.

### 3110 Tall Fordhook Favorites, All Colors Mixed

For a colorful display of large, tall nasturtiums this mixture cannot be excelled. Splendid for trellises, verandas or wherever there is room enough for the plants to spread out in large beds or wide borders. May be trained upon string or wire.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  
¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.75

### 2354 Gorgeous Dwarf Mixed, All Colors

Complete mixture containing all the gorgeous colors and markings to be had in single nasturtiums, and in such proportions as to give a most beautiful effect in beds, borders or rock gardens; fine for cutting. Dwarf, free-blooming plants 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  
¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.75

3110 Tall Fordhook  
Favorites Pkt. 10¢





## BURPEE'S MORNING GLORIES

Easily raised, quick-growing climbers succeeding best in soil that is not too rich and in full sun, protected from the north and west winds. Fine for covering trellises, arbors, porches and poles. Free and continuous blooming from July until frost. 8 ft. and more.



2987 Morning Glory, Heavenly Blue Pkt. 10¢

**2987 Heavenly Blue** Large, bright sky-blue flowers, 4 to 5 in. across with white and yellow throats. A sheet of blue when in full bloom. Will produce the largest flowers and the greatest quantity if plants are grown in full sun and in soil that is not too rich. We offer the preferred early blooming strain.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢

**3021 Fine Mixed** Good-sized flowers in a full range of self colors with many prettily variegated and some heavily bordered.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢

**2958 Blue Star** (New) Flowers are large, of an exquisite light or sky-blue shade with deeper colored mid-rib spears which form an attractive star. *All-America Winner.*

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2964 Crimson Rambler** The conspicuous bright ruby-red flowers are set off by a distinct white throat; tube is also white, which adds to its beauty. Rapid growing.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2985 Cross-Bred** White flowers, 4 to 5 in. across. Heavy foliage. Later blooming than others. Often produces flowers at night which remain open the next morning.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢

**2988 Pearly Gates** *All-America Silver Medal Winner.* The flowers are enormous, 4½ in. across; clear, shining white freely produced on tall vigorous growing vines.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2963 Scarlett O'Hara** *All-America Gold Medal Winner.* Bright rosy red with five broad veins radiating from the throat in the shape of a star. Blooms are 3½ in. across.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2959 Old Glory Mixture** For a patriotic display, what could be more beautiful than this blend of Giant Morning Glories—Heavenly Blue, Pearly Gates (pure white) and Scarlett O'Hara, all in one packet?

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**3028 Giant Mixed** Larger flowered than the "Fine Mixed"; wide range of unusual colors, combinations and unique markings.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢



2373 Nicotiana, Crimson Bedder Pkt. 15¢

## NICOTIANA—Flowering Tobacco

Long, tube-shaped, petunia-like flowers, the petals of which form a beautiful five-pointed star. Very fragrant, particularly when flowers are fully expanded during the evening and night. For beds and borders.

**2371 Affinis** Pure white tuberoscented blooms very freely produced in clusters on bushy, branching plants. 2½ ft. high.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢

**2372 Affinis Hybrids** Brilliant colors, including many fine shades of rose, red, crimson and creamy white. 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢

**2373 Crimson Bedder** The dwarf, well-branched plants, 15 in. tall, are covered with deep crimson, sweet-scented blooms.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2376 Crimson King** Deep velvety crimson-red flowers of a fine rich color. 2½ ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

## MATTHIOLA—Night-Scented Stocks

**2204 Bicornis** Small purplish lilac flowers which emit a delightful perfume in the morning and evening or after a shower. In bloom from July to September. 15 in.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢



2219 Mignonette, Red Monarch Pkt. 15¢

## MIGNONETTE—Sweet Scented ☐

Grown for its charming fragrance. Excellent for cutting, especially when used with other flowers. Blooms all summer. 1 ft. tall.

**2217 Golden Sunset** Golden yellow. Flowers and spikes are both extra large.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2218 Goliath** Large, coppery red flowers.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2219 Red Monarch** Deepest red of all.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2226 White Pearl** Silvery white, fluffy flowers on long-stemmed spikes. Favorite.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 85¢

**2232 Fordhook Finest Mixed** Large-flowered varieties of many fine shades.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

## MARVEL-OF-PERU—Four O'Clocks

**2196 Tall Mixed** Popular old-fashioned plant, whose flowers open in the afternoon if day is sunny or all day if it is cloudy. Red, pink, lilac, yellow, white and often several colors will be found in varying degree in one flower. Easily grown everywhere. Blooms from July until frost. 2 ft.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; 2 ozs. 60¢

## MOONFLOWER—Night Blooming ☽

Quick growing climbers, 15 ft. and more high, with luxuriant foliage which provides splendid shade. Giant Pink blooms only at night and closes the next morning unless day is cloudy. Giant White blooms at night and usually stays open the next day until noon. Vines are a mass of flowers from July until frost. Plant in a sunny location on trellises, porches, poles, fences, etc.

**2986 Giant Pink** Lavender-pink flowers are large as is the sub-tropical foliage.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**2983 Giant White** Pure white flowers, often 6 in. across. Very free blooming.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

## NEMESIA®

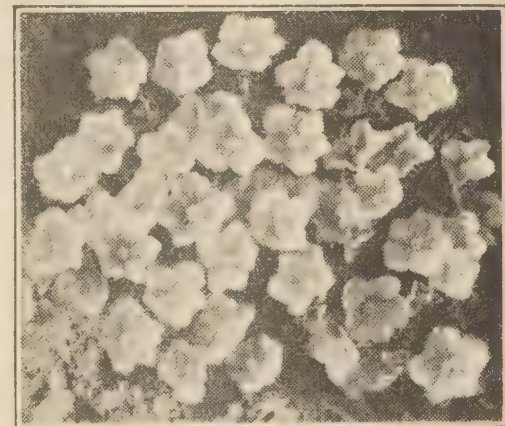
**2379 Large Flowering Hybrids** Dwarf, free-blooming, showy plants for edgings, borders and rock gardens. White, yellow, orange, pink, crimson, rose, blue, etc., in mixture. Does best in cool weather. If you live where summers are hot, start seeds early so plants will bloom before summer heat arrives. In cool sections, nemesia blooms from midsummer until fall. 1 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

## NEMOPHILA—Baby Eyes®

**2380 Insignis Blue** Quick grower; early bloomer. Bears a profusion of lovely, cup-shaped, sky-blue flowers with white centers. Charming for the rock garden and edgings. The plants grow 6 to 8 in. high. Beautiful.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



2361 Nierembergia, Purple Robe Pkt. 35¢

## NIEREMBERGIA

### Blue Cup Flower®

Plants form a dense mat, 6 in. high, 1 ft. and more across, and are thickly covered through the summer and fall with beautiful cup-shaped flowers, 1 to 1¼ in. across. Wonderful for borders, edgings and rock gardens; effective in pots or baskets. Does best in sandy soil and full sun.

**2362 Hippomanica** Lavender-blue.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

**2361 Purple Robe** *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.* Attractive deep violet-blue flowers which do not fade in hot sun.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

## NIGELLA—Love-in-a-Mist ☐

One of our prettiest old-fashioned annuals, with attractive double flowers, nestled among the fine, feathery foliage. Nice for cutting or in borders. Blooms profusely over a long season. Grows 1½ ft. tall.

**2383 Miss Jekyll** Rich cornflower-blue.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2382 Damascena Double Mixed** White and various shades of blue well blended.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢

Burpee Seeds are Guaranteed . . 41



## ORNITHOGALUM

### Cape Chincherichee ☐

**2387 Thyrsoides** Dense spikes of 30 to 40 white, star-like flowers, 1 in. across, are clustered in a somewhat triangular shaped head on stems 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Extra fine cut flowers, as they last for weeks. If seeds are started very early, some blooms may be had the same year. Store bulbs free from frost for the following year's flowering.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

### PENSTEMON — Bearded Tongue ☐

**2525 Giant Floradale** Long flower-spikes closely set with gloxinia-like blooms in many brilliant and varied colors; some are prettily edged. Excellent for beds and borders. 2 to 3 ft. Perennial in warm sections.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 85¢

**3796 Utahensis** The flowers are tubular, lobed and lipped, 1 in. long and ⅜ in. across; delightful shade of lavender-blue. Each plant bears from 10 to 15 spikes, 16 to 18 in. long. May be grown as a perennial in mild climates. Fine for garden and cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 85¢

### PHACELIA — Bee's Friend ☐

**2578 Campanularia** (California Blue Bells) Attractive little plants with intense gentian-blue, bell-shaped flowers marked with five white anther lobes. Does best in dry soil and a sunny situation. Fine for edgings and rock gardens. About 9 in. high.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



*Primula sinensis fimbriata*  
3984 *Finest Mixed* Pkt. 35¢

### PRIMULA — Primrose ○

Particularly desirable as potted plants for the home. Easily grown where light and heat conditions are satisfactory. 10 in.

#### *Sinensis fimbriata*

**3984 Finest Mixed** Clusters of large, beautifully colored, fringed flowers in lovely contrast to the deep green leaves of the plants. Mixture includes blue, white, red, rose, crimson, etc. Popular house plants.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢

#### *Obconica gigantea*

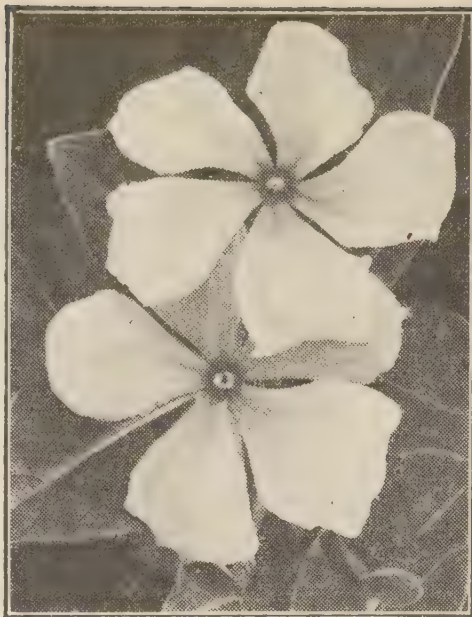
**4021 Choicest Mixed** Individual flowers are extra large, of fine form and texture, and freely borne in immense clusters for a long time. Colors and shades not seen in usual mixtures will be found in this assortment—pink, red, salmon, white, etc.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢

#### *Obconica grandiflora*

**3988 Mixed Colors** All the most desirable colors in mixture. Flowers not so large as those of the *Gigantea* type, but usually produced more profusely and for a longer period. Showy plant for indoor culture.

Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 3 pkts. 75¢



2726 *Periwinkle Twinkles* Pkt. 25¢

### PERIWINKLE — *Vinca rosea*

Erect, bushy plants with glossy, laurel-like leaves and large, single blooms, 1½ in. across. Plants are in bloom all summer and fall. Never troubled by insects or disease. Stands heat. "Fool Proof." 1½ ft. May be grown as a perennial in mild climates.

**2798 Bright Eyes** White in pleasing contrast to a striking rose colored eye. Refined.

**2799 Purity** The flowers are pure white.

**2796 Willie Winkle** Bright rose—a lovely, rich shade that is always welcome.

*Any of the above varieties of Periwinkle:*  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2726 Twinkles** Large flowers of an unusual soft blush pink with a bright red eye, surrounded by a wide zone of glowing rose.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**2801 Mixed Colors** All the above four desirable colors in a nicely blended mixture.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



2630 *Poppy, Double Shirley Hybrids* Pkt. 10¢

### POPPIES, SHIRLEY

#### *Papaver rhoeas*

Poppies are charming subjects in the garden because of their brilliantly colored flowers and the freedom with which they are produced. They are easy to grow in ordinary soil exposed to the sun; seed should be sown where intended to flower as early in the spring as the soil can be worked. They bloom quickly. Make successional sowings for a continuous display. 1½ ft.

**2618 Improved Single Mixed** Large single flowers with papery, silk-like petals in dainty tones of pink, salmon, apricot, terra-cotta, etc.; many shaded and edged with other colors. Hardly any two plants produce flowers that are exactly alike. Golden anthers and white centers enhance the beauty of the artistic blooms.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2630 Double Hybrids** Double and semi-double blooms in an almost endless variety of attractive colors. Many of the flowers are delicately suffused with a second tint, which adds so much to their appearance. Choice and highly desirable garden subjects.

Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

*Perennial Poppies, see page 55.*

## PORTULACA — Rose Moss, or Sun Plant ☐

For a brilliant display in low borders, edgings, beds, rock gardens or ground cover, nothing can excel portulaca. Blooms early and continuously until frost; must have a sunny location, but will grow in almost any soil if well drained. Forms a dense, thick carpet; 4 to 6 in. tall. Seed is very fine so should be barely covered when sown. Nice to use between stepping stones. May be used in window boxes if in a sunny location.

### Double Flowered

Flowers are like little roses. Seed saved from perfectly double flowers will produce some singles. As these usually bloom first, they can be removed if desired and a double flowering plant put in its place later.

**2654 Pink** Bright and lively color.

**2655 Red** Large scarlet-red blooms.

**2656 Salmon** Exquisite shade.

**2657 White** Yellow stamens.

**2653 Yellow** Soft orange-yellow.

*Any of the above separate colors of Double Flowered Portulacas:*

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**2659 Double Flowered, Mixed Colors** Charming blend of pink, red, salmon, white and yellow, some of which are striped with contrasting colors. A planting of this mixture, especially in masses, will give a display that is difficult to excel.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 90¢

### Single Flowered

**2652 All Colors Mixed, Single Flowered** Complete mixture of orange, red, white, buff and other shades. Very effective, especially in masses. **SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢



*Double Flowered Portulaca*  
2659 *Mixed Colors* Pkt. 15¢

### Five Double Portulacas

**Pink, Red, Salmon, White and Yellow**

**7805**—5 pkts., one each of these five separate colors for a charming effect, value \$1.25 for only **\$1**



One of the easiest grown and most satisfactory of all summer-flowering annuals. No other flower can surpass their brilliant colorings. A native of Texas and is known as "Texan Pride." Grows and thrives in any kind of soil in a sunny position, but prefers a light, rich loam. Begins to bloom in early summer and continues until fall if faded flowers are removed. Fine for bedding, borders, edgings and cutting.

## BURPEE'S TETRA GIANT FLOWERED

Burpee's new tetraploid phlox (tetra for short) were originated by treating the best diploid varieties with colchicine. As a result, the flowers are larger, stems are stronger and the plants have a lusher appearance.

Tetra Red grows taller and more erect than Tetra Salmon. Both are lovely for beds and borders, especially behind lower growing edging plants. Tetra Salmon is larger flowered; each is wonderful for cutting.

**2596 Tetra Red** Tallest growing of all annual phlox; plants are vigorous, well-branched, 20 in. tall. Flowers grow 1 1/4 in. across with 10 or more delicately scented, large, deep red blooms with tiny white eye per head.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢

**2622 Tetra Salmon** Flowers are immense, up to 1 3/4 in. across; color is a soft salmon-pink in pleasing contrast to a creamy white eye. Semi-erect plants 10 to 12 in. tall; long, strong stems.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

## TALL GIANT FLOWERED

(*Phlox drummondii gigantea*)

Individual flowers are larger than the grandiflora type and borne most freely in massive trusses on strong, upright plants 10 in. tall. Excellent for beds, borders, edgings and cutting. Each variety has been a winner in the All-America Selections, which is a testimonial of their high value; they are of great beauty.

**2594 Red Glory** Brilliant red, intensified by a prominent white eye; a showy combination.

**2593 Rosy Morn** Charming rose-pink with a large white eye—a gay and bright contrast.

**2608 Salmon Glory** Salmon-pink set off by a wide, creamy white eye; clear and crisp.

**2609 Art Shades** A wonderful range of soft pastel colors and delicate shades in mixture.

Any of the above Tall Giant Flowered Phlox:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00



2596 Burpee's  
Tetra Red Phlox  
Pkt. 35¢

## TALL LARGE FLOWERED (*Phlox drummondii grandiflora*)

Well-branched plants, 15 in. tall, with large clusters of many beautiful round-petaled flowers which grow about 1 in. across. Varied colors and color combinations.

**2591 Apricot** Bright chamois-rose with large white eye; soft combination.

**2587 Brilliant** Lovely light pink with bright red eye; sharp, pleasing contrast.

**2589 Carnea** Light pink with an apricot center. Pretty and most unusual.

**2590 Fordhook Crimson** Rich crimson; beautiful, especially in masses.

**2606 Fordhook Lilac** Delicate lilac with conspicuous white eye. Distinct.

**2603 Primrose** Deep primrose.

**2592 Scarlet** Brilliant scarlet-red that is most showy and full of life.

**2599 Splendens** Intense red with large white eye. Showy flower trusses.

**2602 Vermilion** Rich and brilliant color; most vivid and impressive.

**2601 Violet** Uniform clear soft violet; odd but lovely shade, rare in phlox.

**2583 White** Pure, glistening white.

Any of the above Tall Large Flowered Phlox: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

**2581 Fordhook Finest Mixed** Blend of all best colors for a gorgeous display.

SPECIAL: Pkt. only 10¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

## Six Showy Tall Large Flowered Phlox

Apricot, Fordhook Crimson, Fordhook Lilac, Splendens, Violet and White

7564—6 pkts., one each of these 6 separate lovely colors, value 90¢ for only **75¢**

## DWARF COMPACT LARGE FLOWERED

(*Phlox drummondii nana compacta*)

The symmetrical, dwarf, compact plants grow about 6 in. tall. They are exceedingly pretty in beds, borders or rock gardens, and also fine for pots and window-boxes. The following are the best large flowered varieties that we can supply in this group.

**2616 Cinnabar Red** Scarlet-vermilion; very effective and pleasing color.

**2576 Fireball** Fiery crimson-scarlet; rich and vivid, of unusual brilliance.

**2617 Isabellina** Beautiful soft primrose-yellow; quite refined and exquisite.

**2580 Pink** Bright chamois-pink. Very pretty and desirable shade for all uses.

**2584 Sky Blue with White Eye** Great favorite and a real gem for your "blue" garden. Decidedly striking.

**2577 Snowball** Enormous heads of pure white flowers. Extremely popular.

**2575 Dwarf Compact, Mixed** Well-balanced blend of all colors in this type for beds, borders or edgings.

Any of the above Dwarf Compact Large Phlox: Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

## Four Colorful Dwarf Compact Phlox

Cinnabar Red, Pink, Snowball and Sky Blue with White Eye

7538—4 pkts., one each of these 4 separate choice colors, value 80¢ for only **65¢**



Tall Large Flowered Phlox,  
2581 Fordhook Finest Mixed Colors Pkt. 10¢

## TALL STARRED AND FRINGED (*Phlox drummondii cuspidata*)

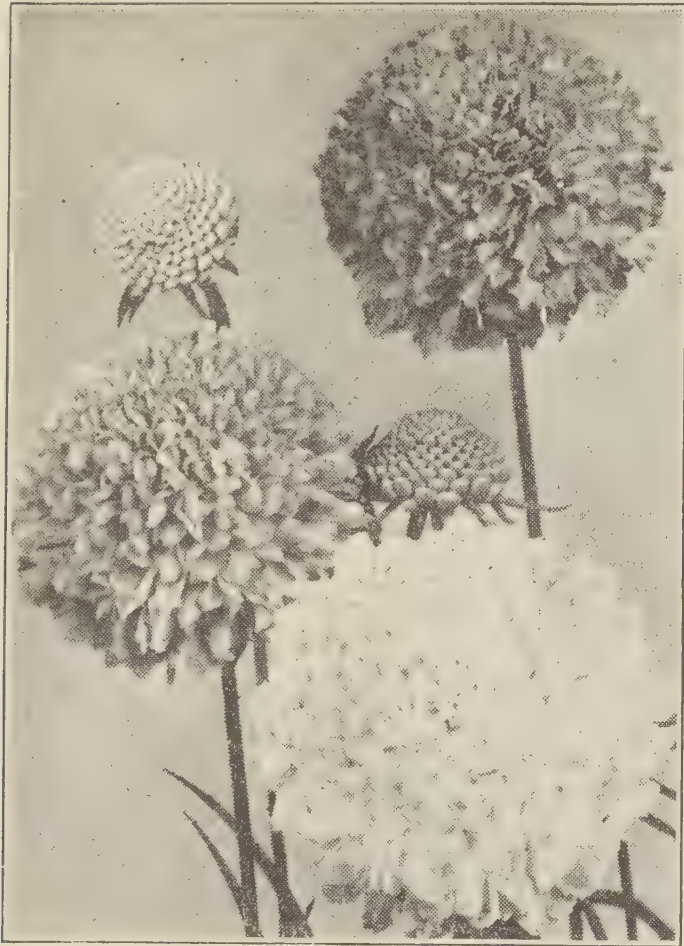
**2607 Mixed** A most unusual type. The medium-sized, brilliantly colored flowers have fantastically fringed and pointed petals or are artistically starred, making a very pleasing effect. An endless variety of colors and color combinations will be found in this unique class. Attracts attention. 1 ft. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25



## SCABIOSA—Pincushion Flower, Mourning Bride ☐

Called **Pincushion Flower** because the stamens of some varieties are light in color and stick out in contrast to the petals so that they resemble pins stuck in a cushion. The deep black color of one

variety has caused it to be called **Mourning Bride**. Scabiosas are easy to grow and do well in widely different kinds of soil. Bloom from midsummer until frost. Prized for cutting.



2650 Scabiosa, Blue, White and Pink Shades Pkt. 10¢

### Medium Tall Large Flowered Double

Flowers grow 1½ to 2 in. across, almost spherical in shape and borne on long, stiff stems. The bushy plants grow 2 ft. tall and bloom profusely.

**2650 Blue, White and Pink Shades** Charming blend of azure-blue, pure white and exquisite shades of deep to light pink. Fine for cutting.

**SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**2624 Heavenly Blue** Round, soft azure-blue flowers of perfect form. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.* Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**2626 Peace** Pure white flowers without any tinge of pink or mauve. *All-America Winner.* Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

### Tall Large Flowered Double

An old favorite, greatly improved in the size and color of flowers as well as length of stems. Ideal for cutting and garden use. 3 ft. tall.

**2703 Black** Unusual shade of deep purplish black. *Mourning Bride.*

**2733 Blue Cockade** Clear azure-blue; almost conical in shape.

**2625 Blue Moon** Rich dark lavender-blue flowers; wavy petals.

**2704 Red** Glowing cherry-red; pleasing, unusual red tone.

**2706 Rose** Deep but bright rose-pink. A favorite for all uses.

**2734 Rosette** Rose-pink suffused with salmon. Most refined.

**2708 White (Shasta)** Pure dazzling white flowers; good form.

**2632 White Cockade** So deep in shape as to appear conical.

**2707 Mixed All Colors** All the best colors nicely blended.

Any of the above: Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

### Five Large Flowered Double Scabiosas

**Black, Blue Cockade, Red, Rose and White**

**7755**—5 pkts., one each of these 5 separate colors, from deep purplish black to pure white, value 75¢ for only **50¢**

### Dwarf Double

**2699 Mixed Colors** For edgings and beds where other scabiosas are too tall. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢

*Perennial Scabiosa, see page 55.*

## RICINUS—Castor Oil Bean

Magnificent, tall, large-leaved plants of tropical appearance, succeeding in a warm, sunny location. Beautiful for backgrounds.

**2670 Red Spire** Large purplish leaves changing with age to bronzy green. The stems, stalks and veins are rich red. 6 ft. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 2 ozs. 75¢

**2671 Zanzibarensis** Enormous growth, 12 to 14 ft. high. Rich green lobed leaves. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 2 ozs. 45¢

**2669 Mixed** A wonderful assortment of the finest varieties, with large ornamental leaves in green, red and bronze. 8 to 10 ft. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 2 ozs. 45¢

## RUDBECKIA—Black-Eyed Susan ☐

Well-formed, daisy-like flowers with dark centers. Easily grown in almost any soil and situation—sun or half-shade. Excellent for garden display and fine for cutting. Blooms during summer and fall. Grow 2 ft. tall.

**2675 My Joy** Enormous flowers, 5 in. and more across, with showy orange-yellow petals and a rather small dark center cone. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**2661 Starlight** Double, semi-double and single, showy flowers in varying tones of light yellow and velvety mahogany with two colors prettily displayed in many of the blooms; mahogany centers add interest and beauty. Plants are very profuse blooming. Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

*Perennial Rudbeckia, see page 54.*

## SMILAX

**3991** Attractive, fast-growing vine with dark green, glossy, myrtle-like leaves. Very decorative and easy to grow house-plant. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

## 7400 The Burpee Flower Garden

**\$2.20 Value \$1**  
for only **1**



Twelve especially selected, easy-to-grow annual flowers, many All-America Winners, each in a life-like color bag and all packed in a gay red box decorated with a kodachrome garden scene. Included are: Burpee Super Giant Zinnias, Giant Snapdragon, Mammoth Mum Marigold, Yellow Cosmos, Scarlett O'Hara Morning Glory, fragrant Petunias, and 6 other extra choice flowers. Five are worth 25¢ per pkt.; 5 others at 15¢ and 2 varieties at 10¢. All are the finest guaranteed seeds from Burpee's Floradale Farms, Santa Barbara Co., California.

At the special bargain price of only \$1 for all 12 pkts. why not, when ordering yours, include some to give your friends. An ideal gift for all who have gardens,—a gift which will not only be appreciated when received but the growing flowers all through the summer and fall will be a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness.

Order all you want at the special price of only \$1 per box, postpaid to you, or if you want us to mail them direct, send us their names and addresses and the gift cards you wish enclosed. Boxes will be mailed promptly—unless you instruct us otherwise.

**7400 The Burpee Flower Garden—\$2.20 worth of Burpee Flower Seeds postpaid in U. S. for only \$1.00**





2677 *Salpiglossis*, Finest Mixed Pkt. 15¢

## SALPIGLOSSIS, EMPEROR

Painted Tongue, Velvet Flower ☐ ○

**2677 Large Flowered Finest Mixed** Gorgeously colored, trumpet-shaped flowers of velvety texture, the colors charmingly penciled, netted, and veined with golden yellow, crimson and purple. In bloom from July until frost. Prized for cutting. 2½ ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

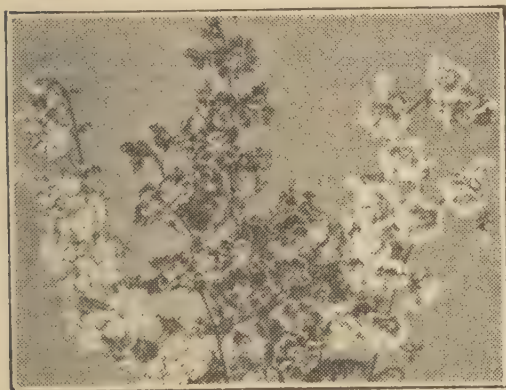


2693 *Sanvitalia procumbens* fl. pl. Pkt. 15¢

## SANVITALIA—Creeping Zinnia ☐

**2693 Procumbens fl. pl.** Masses of small, zinnia-like double blooms of deep golden yellow on creeping or spreading plants 6 in. tall. Blooms all summer and fall. Excellent for dwarf beds, edgings, and rock gardens.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢



2695 *Schizanthus*, Giant Hybrids Pkt. 25¢

## SCHIZANTHUS—Butterfly Flower

Beautiful bushy plants with finely laciniated foliage and hundreds of butterfly-like flowers. For beds, borders and pot culture.

**2694 Wisetonensis** Dainty flowers of many exquisite colors and markings. 1½ ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

**2695 Giant Hybrids** Very large blooms of many colors, prettily marked and blotched with contrasting colors. 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

## STEVIA

**2713 Serrata** Fragrant, small white flowers freely produced in clusters all summer. Fine to mix with other cut flowers. 2½ ft. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

## SCARLET SAGE or SALVIA

Scarlet Sage is one of the most brilliant bedding plants, blooms from early summer until frost. Popular for beds, borders, edgings and pot culture; may be used for cutting. There are tall and dwarf varieties for different purposes. All are best treated as annuals but seed must be started early indoors in boxes of light, rich soil and placed in a warm, sunny window. Set plants outdoors when weather and soil have become warm.



2691 *Scarlet Sage*, America Pkt. 25¢

**2691 America or Globe of Fire** Round, bushy plants, of uniform growth, 1½ ft. tall, covered with large, well-filled, upright spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. Popular. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**2684 Bonfire or Clara Bedman** Dense, dark green foliaged plants of erect, globular growth producing their bright scarlet-red flowers in great profusion. Grow 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**2667 Harbinger** Dwarf, compact plants with bluish green foliage and a profusion of scarlet flowers. Early bloomer. 10 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

**2668 Sky Rocket (Rakete)** Massive brilliant scarlet spikes cover the dwarf, compact plants. Early flowering. 10 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**2689 Splendens** The tallest growing and largest flowered. Loose sprays of rich scarlet blooms; plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. tall. We offer an improved stock. Because of its height, it is mostly used in large beds. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

**2685 Zurich** Scarlet-red blooms of good size completely cover the bushy, dwarf, compact plants, 12 to 15 in. high. Early. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

## BLUE SALVIAS ☐

Plants are very free flowering and most attractive in borders and small beds. Blooms all summer and fall. Perennial in mild climates. Nice to use with other flowers in bouquets. Very easily grown. 2½ ft.

**2681 Farinacea** Tall spikes of light, cloudy blue flowers. A good mixer. Begins to bloom in about two months from seed. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

**2690 Farinacea Blue Bedder** Rich, deep Wedgewood-blue flowers. Handsome. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**2683 Patens** Extra large flowers of the clearest indigo-blue imaginable. Different in form from the above, flowers being broad, tubular and lipped. A real "blue." Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

*Perennial Blue Salvia*, see page 54.



3718 *Sideritis candicans* Pkt. 15¢

## SIDERITIS (Leucaphai)

**3718 Candicans** Foliage plant with grayish white, felt-like leaves and white, woolly stems. Plants are bushy, compact, 18 in. high and 20 in. across. Most desirable for edgings, borders, bedding, pots and vases; used with good effect when mixed with cut flowers. It is a perennial in mild climates. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢



2729 *Star of Texas* Pkt. 15¢

## STAR OF TEXAS

*Xanthisma texanum* ☐

**2729** Single, daisy-like flowers with pointed, light canary-yellow petals freely produced on neat, bushy plants, 1½ ft. high and as much across. Stems are thin and strong. Does well anywhere, especially in dry places. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

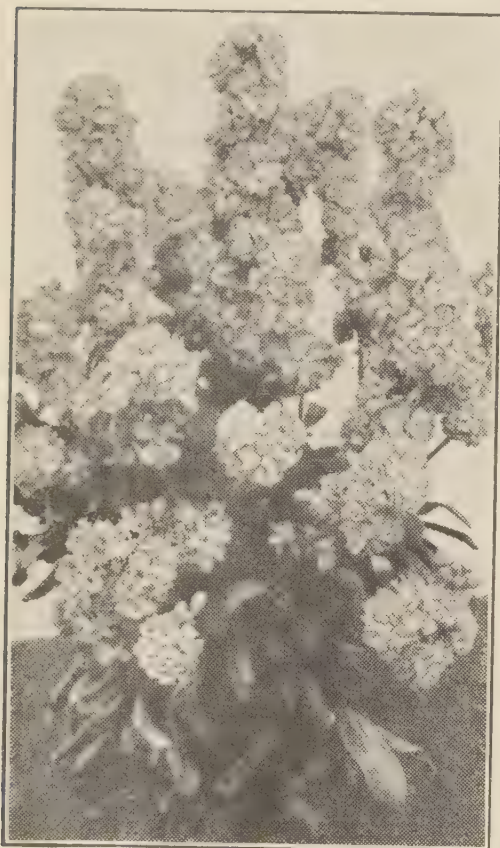
## RUNNERLESS STRAWBERRIES FROM SEED

**2907 Baron Solemacher** Produces the largest berries obtainable from seed, and while much smaller than the usual cultivated berries, these have a delicate "wild" flavor and aroma that are quite appealing. The plants do not produce runners, so are suitable for use in edgings or rock gardens. Heavy yielder. Very easy to grow if you follow the directions on the packets containing the seed. Attractive and tasty. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 5 pkts. \$1.50



## DOUBLE LARGE FLOWERED STOCKS

Heavy spikes of handsome, fragrant flowers, like small rosettes, are produced in a wide range of soft and distinct shades. Fine for bedding, borders and cutting. For best results, sow seed indoors in shallow boxes or seed-pans 6 to 8 weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Keep in a temperature of 65° F. or less from the time the seed is sown until the plants have made 8 leaves so that they will form buds. When plants are large enough to handle, pot them up singly and grow on in pots until weather and soil have become warm, when they should be transplanted to the garden where they are to remain.



Early Giant Imperial Stocks  
3250 Antique Copper Pkt. 15¢

### Beauty of Nice

**2743 Mixed Colors** Plants are of pyramidal branching form, 2 to 2½ ft. high, each branch a long spike filled with double, honey-scented flowers. Require 12 to 15 weeks to bloom after seed is sown.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

### Perpetual Branching or Giant Perfection Stocks

**3273 Mixed Colors** An early double-flowering strain, the plants of which continue to produce many side branches. All colors in mixture. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

### Early Giant Imperial or Improved Bismarck

Exquisite, well-rounded, large fully double blooms on long stems. Valuable for garden and greenhouse forcing. 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

- 3250 **Antique Copper** Coppery red.
- 3252 **Dark Blue** Attractive; distinct.
- 3260 **Buttercup** Beautiful deep yellow.
- 2748 **Elk's Pride** Rich royal purple.
- 3254 **Flesh** Soft or delicate light pink.
- 3255 **Lavender** Lovely clear shade.
- 3253 **Fiery Blood Red** Vivid; intense.
- 3256 **Rose** Fine deep rose-pink; popular.
- 2749 **Golden Rose** Pleasing color.
- 3261 **Shasta** Glistening snow white.
- 3251 **Canary Yellow** Exquisite shade.
- 3258 **Mixed Colors** All the above colors are blended in a grand mixture.

Any of the above:

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

### 6 Giant Imperial Stocks

**Antique Copper** (coppery red),  
**Fiery Blood Red, Golden Rose,**  
**Elk's Pride** (royal purple),  
**Shasta** (white) and **Canary Yellow**

7697—6 pkts., one of each,  
value 90¢ for only **75¢**

### Dwarf Ten Weeks

A favorite class, coming into bloom in about ten weeks after seed is sown. 15 to 18 in.

- 2725 **Light Blue**.....
- 2721 **Bright Pink**....
- 2727 **Purple**.....
- 2723 **Blood Red**.....
- 2718 **Pure White**.....
- 2719 **Canary Yellow**..
- 2730 **Mixed Colors**....

Any of these  
6 separate  
or mixed  
colors:

Pkt. 10¢;  
⅛ oz. 55¢;  
¼ oz. \$1.00



2765  
Sunflower,  
Chrysanthemum  
Flowered Pkt. 10¢

### SUNFLOWER—Helianthus

Beautiful plants for use as backgrounds or screens on account of their stately growth. Thrive in almost any soil exposed to the sun; bloom profusely until frost.

**2765 Chrysanthemum Flowered** Golden yellow chrysanthemum-like, double blooms, 6 to 8 in. across, made up of thousands of small fringed petals forming a broad, thick flower of artistic appearance. The sturdy plants grow nearly 7 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢

**2762 Red** Artistic flowers of chestnut-red, bright red, crimson, some tipped with yellow, others yellow suffused red. Flowers vary in coloring and in size. 5 to 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢



3962 Single Sweet Wivelsfield Pkt. 15¢

### SWEET WIVELSFIELD © ®

Distinct race of "Pinks" with large flowers in various shades of pink, rose, crimson, scarlet and others, with centers and edges of contrasting colors. Grow 1 ft. tall and bloom profusely for many weeks during the summer. Valuable for border, rock garden, edgings, and make nice cut flowers.

**3962 Single Flowered Mixed Colors**  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**4067 Double Flowered Mixed Colors**  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

### ANNUAL SWEET WILLIAM

**2755 Mixed Colors** Many beautiful colors, some starred and mottled, others with clear white eyes. Named "Annual" because plants will flower the first season if the seed is sown early. They will live over winter, however, and last for several years. 15 in.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅛ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

Perennial Sweet William, see page 56.

### THUNBERGIA

**Black-Eyed Susan Vine** §

**3700 Alata Mixed** An unusually pretty little climber or may be used as a trailing plant for ground cover, hanging baskets and window-boxes. Forms a dense mat of foliage and flowers. Colors range through yellow, orange and buff to pure white; many of the flowers have jet-black showy centers or eyes. Vines grow 5 ft. long.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢



2715 Statice sinuata, Rose Pkt. 10¢

### STATICE—Everlasting ©

Lasts for months when dried. Effective alone or with other everlastings, and in fresh or dried condition. Valuable cutting material for home and florist use. Easy to grow.

#### Sinuata Varieties

Splendid clusters of strawy blooms on stiff stems. Unique colorings and light, graceful, oddly formed sprays. 2 to 2½ ft. high.

**2736 Kampf's Tall Improved** Dark blue.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2745 Lavender Queen** Lavender shades.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2744 Market Growers' Blue** Deepest blue. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**2715 Rose** Pleasing shade of deep rose.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 30¢; ½ oz. 50¢

**2717 White** Large heads of pure white.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 30¢; ½ oz. 50¢

**2716 Mixed** Blue, rose and white.  
Pkt. 10¢; ¼ oz. 30¢; ½ oz. 50¢

**2649 Art Shades** Wonderful mixture, including fawn, pink, red, salmon, mauve, yellow, white, blue and almost orange.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

Perennial Statice, see page 56.



## TIGRIDIA

### Mexican Shell Flower, Tigerflower

**2115 Mixed Colors** Large, brilliantly colored, triangular shaped flowers in many varied hues of scarlet, rose, yellow and orange. Smaller petals are marked with carmine, purple or mahogany and sometimes tinged pink, lavender and apricot. Blooms in August and September. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 70¢

*Tigridia bulbs, see page 113.*

## TITHONIA—Mexican Sunflower

**2714 Speciosa** Stately plants with heavy, dark green foliage and brilliant, orange-scarlet single dahlia-like flowers, 3 to 4 in. across. Charming for cutting and tall backgrounds. Blooms in the fall. 6 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

## TORENIA—Wishbone Flower

**2770 Fournieri** Light blue snapdragon-like flowers prettily blotched deeper blue in contrast to a yellow throat. The compact, bushy plants, 1 ft. tall, are covered with blooms during the summer and fall. Fine for beds, borders, pots, window-boxes.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 3 pkts. 60¢



2764 *Viscaria, Tom Thumb Blue Gem* Pkt. 15¢

## VISCARIA—Rainbow Drops

Free-blooming plants, bearing a wealth of large, single, attractive blooms throughout the summer. Prefer cool climates. In hot sections, start seed early indoors.

**2764 Blue Gem, Tom Thumb** Dwarf plants, 8 in. tall, covered with light ultramarine blue flowers, 1 to 1 1/2 in. across.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2763 Rose Gem, Tom Thumb** Like the above except for color—beautiful slight variations of rose. Very profuse blooming.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## ANNUAL WALLFLOWER

Lovely sweet-scented flowers in oriental colorings of red, brown, mahogany and yellow.

**2856 Extra Early Parisian** Large, single, golden yellow flowers with a decided violet-like scent. Quick grower. 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**2857 Double Early Wonder Mixed** Canary-yellow, golden yellow, brown and mahogany are the predominating colors. Blooms within five months on spikes that resemble stocks. 1 1/2 to 2 ft. in height.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**2860 Annual Single Mixed** Creamy white, yellow, light brown, blood-red and mahogany sweet-scented flowers are quickly and profusely produced on 1 ft. plants.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

*Perennial Wallflower, see page 56.*

### Explanation of Symbols:

- ☐ Especially desirable for cutting.
- ☐ Succeeds in dry or sandy soil.
- ☐ Prefers moist, well-drained soil.
- ☐ Highly prized for rock gardens.
- Succeeds in or prefers semi-shade.
- § For climbing on string, wire, etc.

## BURPEE'S VERBENAS

Colorful, dwarf plants, ideal for edgings, ground cover, rock gardens, porch boxes and cutting. The flowers are borne in large trusses from midsummer until late fall. Thrive in poor soil, and withstand drought remarkably well. We offer several distinct types; all are lovely and fill certain needs.

### GIANT FLOWERED

Of robust, spreading growth, 8 to 12 in. high, 2 1/2 ft. and more across. Large trusses, the individual blooms of which measure over 1 in. across. Quick to come into flower.

**2965 Apple Blossom** Almost white shading to delicate cameo-pink at edges.

**2747 Crimson Glow** Rather showy.

**2793 Floradale Beauty** Plants are a mass of very large flowers varying from bright rose-pink to the deepest rose-red.

**2751 Lavender Glory** Pure lavender with prominent creamy white eye.

**2783 Luminosa** Attractive flame-pink.

**2794 Royale** Deep blue with yellow eye.

**2750 Salmon Pink** True salmon-pink.

**2788 Spectrum Red** Dazzling red.

**2782 White** Combines well with others.

**2780 Finest Mixed** All the above colors in a carefully blended mixture.

*Any of the above Giant Verbenas:*

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

### 5 Giant Verbenas

**Apple Blossom, Luminosa, Royale, Spectrum Red and White**

**7820—5 pkts., one of each, value 75¢ for only 60¢**

### LARGE FLOWERED

**2753 Sutton's Blue** Deep royal blue rounded flower trusses, 2 1/2 to 3 in. across and as deep as they are wide.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

## BURPEE'S SPECIAL FLOWER SEED MIXTURES

In these mixtures we have included the easiest growing varieties that can, if desired, be sown broadcast haphazardly over large or small areas, and with very little care will produce a colorful display all season. Seeds may also be sown in rows and the plants thinned repeatedly in order to allow plenty of space for them to grow vigorously and develop properly.

### WILD FLOWER GARDEN

**2810 Mixed** This is not a mixture of wild flowers but a selection of easy-to-grow annual flowers which will give a natural or wild effect in the garden, odd corners and vacant borders, with little attention.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.00

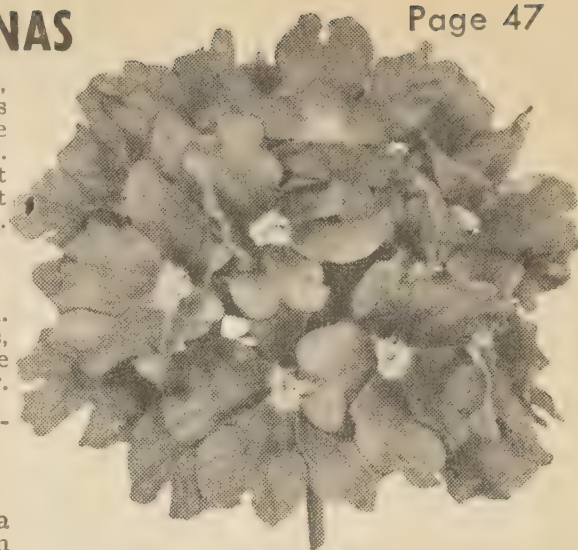
### ANNUALS FOR BEDDING

**2871 Mixed** Showy, free-blooming dwarf annuals especially chosen for beds and borders but many may be used for cutting. Popular varieties that are easily grown are included in this mixture to provide a wide range of brilliant colors for a gay display.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

### ANNUALS FOR CUTTING

**2872 Mixed** Wonderful assortment of long-stemmed flowers in many colors selected for cutting and just as well suited for beds and borders. **SPECIAL:** Pkt. only 10¢; 1/4 oz. 30¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢



2793 *Verbena, Floradale Beauty* Pkt. 15¢

### TALL ERECT VERBENAS

**2785 Royal Bouquet Mixed** Many bright and cheerful colors. Flowers are large. While the plants are of neat, compact habit, they differ from the dwarf varieties in that they grow much taller, 15 to 18 in.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

### DWARF VERBENAS

A lovely type for edging, bedding and pot culture. Instead of the plants being of spreading habit, these are of compact growth and covered with blooms.

#### Dwarf Compact

Plants grow about 6 in. high, 10 to 12 in. across and form neat little mounds covered with medium-sized flower heads.

**2786 Carmine Ball** Bright carmine. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**2784 Fireball** Brilliant scarlet. Striking. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

#### Dwarf Erect

**2761 Blue Sentinel** Broad, deep trusses of royal violet-blue flowers. 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

**2771 Venus** Soft chamois-pink, the innermost flowers suffused copper. 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00



### 7399 Burpee Color-In Garden

Every child will love it. Included with each big Color-In Garden Folder (beautifully printed in bright colors) are 7 full-sized packets of Burpee's flower seeds in natural color—all specially selected, easy-to-grow kinds that children like. Underneath the packets are outlines of the flowers for the kiddies to color-in. They'll also enjoy coloring-in the drawings of children sowing seeds, watering the garden, picking flowers, etc. Seeds alone are worth 95¢.

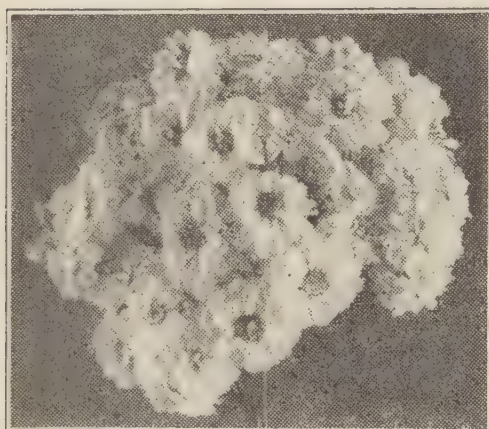
Complete folder postpaid for only 50¢.



# Burpee's Perennial Flower Seeds



*Aquilegia, Long Spurred*  
4055 *Burpee's Best Hybrids* Pkt. 35¢



3702 *Achillea, The Pearl* Pkt. 25¢



3706 *Alyssum saxatile compactum* Pkt. 15¢



3626 *Anchusa myosotidiflora* Pkt. 25¢

Perennial Flowers are the hardy permanent ones that live for years. Plants grow to the flowering stage each year and die down again to the roots, which remain alive but dormant until the next season. Some perennials will flower the first year from seed if it is sown early, although two seasons are usually required before the plants produce their blooms.

Perennials are most important flowers in the garden. With proper selection they can be had in bloom from early in the spring until late in the fall, beginning with the showy golden yellow *Alyssum saxatile compactum*, *Columbine*, *Delphinium* and others, ending the season with the fall *Chrysanthemums*. Cultural directions are given on every bag. With the perennials we have included the best of the biennials, seed of which is sown one year, the plants blooming the second season, after which they die.

Average heights and blooming season are given in the descriptions.  
Some variation is natural in different localities.

## AQUILEGIA—Columbine ☐ ①

Beautiful spring-blooming plants of graceful, airy habit; highly prized for the border and cutting. They succeed best in partial shade and light, fairly rich, well-drained soil.

**4056 Red Riding Hood** Flowers are most unusual in that they are composed of an old-rose calyx and a pure white double corolla at the base of which the rose coloring shows through most pleasingly. The spurs are so short that they are practically hidden under the flower. Profuse bloomer. Grows 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

### Long Spurred Hybrid Aquilegia

Large, attractively formed flowers with broad petals and beautiful long spurs; the most popular group of columbines. Free blooming plants, 2½ to 3 ft. tall, except *Coerulea*.

**4055 Burpee's Best Hybrids** This extra select mixture contains the most beautiful colors and color combinations ever seen in columbine. Flowers are extra large, broad petaled and stand out in bold contrast to the long, narrow spurs. Striking display.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**3717 Blue Shades** Vary from light blue, mid-blue, deep blue to the darkest purple.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**3714 Coerulea** ☐ (The Rocky Mountain Columbine) Violet-blue sepals and white corolla. April to July. 1½ to 2 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**4053 Copper Queen** Deep copper-red.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**4054 Crimson Star** Rich dark crimson sepals and spurs, in wonderful contrast to the white petals. Showy plants in the garden and most effective as cut-flowers.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

**3634 Longissima** Bright canary-yellow flowers with the longest spurs, which usually attain a length of 4 in.; sometimes longer.  
Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

**3713 Mrs. Scott Elliott Hybrids** Marvelous array of splendid colors, ranging through shades of lavender, orchid, mauve, blue, purple, yellow, pink, red, etc., with beautiful soft pastel tones predominating. Highly recommended for cutting and for garden decoration in beds and borders.  
Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; ¼ oz. 70¢

**3635 Pink Beauty** Sepals and spurs are a beautiful, refined shade of soft pink in lovely contrast to the cream-colored corolla.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**3908 Snow Queen** Pure glistening white.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 60¢

**3716 Mixed Colors** Rich in the more brilliant shades of red, pink, blue, white, yellow, etc.; many two-tone combinations.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

## ACHILLEA—Milfoil ☐

**3702 The Pearl** Hundreds of clusters of small, double white pompon chrysanthemum-like flowers, from June to September. Nice in borders and fine for cutting. 2 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

## ALYSSUM

### Rock Madwort, Gold Dust ☐ ☐

Charming, attractive dwarf early blooming plants for rock gardens and borders, doing well in dry soil and sunny location.

**3918 Argenteum** Stocky, bushy plants, 12 to 15 in. tall, with bright yellow flowers borne in clusters all through the summer.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**3706 Saxatile compactum** (Basket of Gold) Dense heads of brilliant golden yellow flowers are borne so profusely in early spring as to hide the plants. 9 to 12 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**3631 Rock Garden Rare Species Mixed** Choice assortment of dwarf growing varieties ranging from 4 to 16 in. in height. In bloom over a long period in early spring.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

Annual Sweet Alyssum, see page 20.

## ANCHUSA—Alkanet

**3626 Myosotidiflora** ☐ Distinct, dwarf species covered with bright blue forget-me-not-like flowers during April and May. Lovely in borders or rock garden. 1 ft. high.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ¼ oz. 80¢

**3710 Italica Dropmore** Large blue forget-me-not-like flowers in great profusion in June and July. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. tall. Valuable blue flowers for tall borders.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

**3906 Italica Lissadell** Same as Dropmore in plant habit with gentian-blue flowers.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

Annual Anchusa, see page 20.

### Explanation of Keys

#### Used with Flower Varieties:

To make selection easy for you, we have indicated the principal purpose of different flowers with the following marks:

- ☐ Especially desirable for cutting.
- ☐ Succeeds in dry or sandy soil.
- ☐ Prefers moist, well-drained soil.
- ☐ Highly prized for rock gardens.
- ☐ Succeeds in or prefers semi-shade.
- § For climbing on string, wire, etc.



## AGROSTEMMA

Rose Campion, Mullein Pink ☐

**3704 Coronaria, Mixed** Silvery white foliaged plants with round, white, blood-red and violet flowers from June to September. Fine for cutting and borders. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

## ANEMONE—Windflower ☐

**3723 Coronaria, St. Brigid** Extra choice mixture of double and semi-double blooms in a wonderful array of rich and brilliant colors. Bloom during May and June. Equally fine for pot culture, borders, rock garden and cutting. Not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C. Plants grow 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

Anemone bulbs, see page 112.

## ANTHEMIS

Yellow Marguerite ☐☐

**3711 Kelwayi Yellow** Pure golden yellow daisy-like flowers are freely produced on long stems from July until frost. Flowers have a slight aromatic odor. 2 ft. high.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

## ARABIS—Rock Cress ☐

Showy dwarf, spreading border and rock garden plants, 8 to 12 in. tall. Succeed in any good well-drained soil and a sunny location. A mass of bloom in early spring. Flowers last quite some time when cut.

**3720 Alpina** Pure white flowers. April. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3625 Alpina rosea** Light pink. May. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

## ARMERIA—Sea Pink ☐☐

Attractive plants of dwarf, tufted growth above which rise many stiff, wiry stems topped with a dense, globe-shaped flower. Useful in rock garden, edgings and border; fine for cutting. Bloom in May and June.

**3627 Formosa Large Flowered Hybrids** Deepest to lightest rose shades, various shades of pink and coral and light red—a very charming mixture. 1 1/2 to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

**3628 Lauchiana** Bright rosy red flowers freely produced on plants 6 in. high.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00

**4066 Sutton's Giant Pink** Clear rose-pink flowers, 2 in. across, are freely borne on straight, strong stems, 1 to 1 1/2 ft. long above the low-growing, mat-like plants.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

## HARDY ASTERS

Alpinus and subcoeruleus are especially valuable for rock gardens or borders; the tall Novi Belgi hybrids for a grand display in late fall when most other perennials are past blooming. All are easily grown.

**3919 Alpinus Mixed** ☐ Large, single flowers in white and shades of blue; golden yellow centers. May and June. 6 to 12 in.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

**3936 Sucoeruleus** ☐☐ Bluish violet, orange-yellow centered flowers. June and July. 15 in. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢

**3701 Novi Belgi Hybrids** (The improved Michaelmas Daisies.) Large flower heads in many bright colors from October until frost. 4 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢

Annual Asters, see pages 17, 18 and 19.



3936 Aster subcoeruleus Pkt. 35¢

## AUBRIETIA

Rainbow Rock Cress ☐☐

**3722 Large Flowering Hybrids** One of the very finest dwarf, spreading plants for borders, rock gardens and dry walls. Masses of rosy purple, blue, and lilac blooms are produced during April and May. 6 in.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

## BELLIS PERENNIS FL. PL.

Giant Double English Daisy ☐☐☐

Splendid dwarf, early-flowering biennials for beds, borders and rock gardens. Plants often last for more than two years, and where summers are cool will bloom until late fall. For the best flowers, we recommend sowing seed each year and treating as an annual. Prefers moist but well-drained soil. Plants grow 6 in. tall.

3945 Dark Red . . . Any of these:  
3724 Dark Rose . . . Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢;  
3725 White . . . . . 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3726 Mixed Colors** White and various shades of rose and red in a nice mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢

## BIGNONIA—Trumpet Vine §☐

**3960 Radicans** An easily grown hardy climber with brilliant orange-scarlet, trumpet-shaped blooms in July and August.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00

## CATANANCHE—Cupid's Dart ☐☐

**3645 Coerulea** Bright blue daisy-like flowers freely borne on slender stems from June until September. Best grown as a biennial. 2 ft. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## CENTAUREA—Hardy Cornflower ☐

**3763 Montana** Lovely, clear, deep blue flowers resembling the annual cornflower, but larger. June until September. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

Annual Centaurea, see page 24.

## CERASTIUM—Snow-in-Summer ☐

**3767 Tomentosum** A creeping, mat-like plant with silvery white woolly foliage and masses of pure white, star-shaped flowers during May and June. When in full bloom, the plants appear as if covered with snow. Valuable for rock gardens, borders, or for carpeting dry, sunny spots. Does well in poor soil. Plants grow about 6 in. high.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

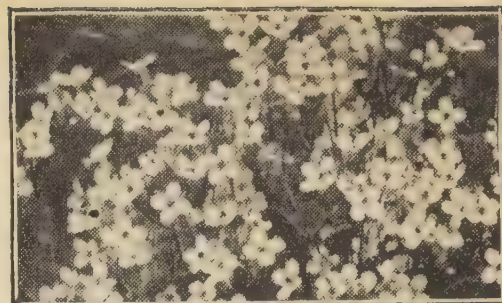
## CHRYSANTHEMUM ☐

**3776 Korean Hybrids** Gorgeous single, semi-double and double flowers in a wide range of colors. Begin blooming in September and continue until killed by hard frost. Will flower the first year if sown early. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. high. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢

Annual Chrysanthemums, see page 25.



3776 Chrysanthemum, Korean Hybrids  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢



3720 Arabis alpina Pkt. 25¢



4066 Armeria, Sutton's Giant Pink Pkt. 25¢



3726 Bellis perennis fl. pl., Mixed Pkt. 25¢



3960 Bignonia radicans Pkt. 15¢



3767 Cerastium tomentosum Pkt. 15¢





3742 Single White Canterbury Bells Pkt. 15¢



3694 Campanula Persicifolia Alba Pkt. 25¢

## CAMPANULAS—Canterbury Bells—Bellflowers

### Biennial Varieties

Most useful, beautiful subjects for the garden; of easy culture and succeed in any good, well-drained soil. Cup-and-Saucer, Single and Double Canterbury Bells are biennials. The plants bloom the second year from seed, then die. For a continuous display of these imposing, highly desirable flowers in your garden annually, seed must be sown every year.

#### Single Canterbury Bells (*Campanula medium*)

Pyramidal plants, 2 to 3 ft. tall, covered in June with large, bell-like blooms with edges softly rolled back and attractively fluted. Showy in the garden; ideal for cutting.

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| 3721 Dark Blue .....    | Any of these<br>separate colors<br>or mixture:<br>Pkt. 15¢;<br>1/8 oz. 40¢;<br>1/4 oz. 70¢ |
| 3738 Light Blue .....   |  |
| 3740 Rose .....         |  |
| 3742 White .....        |  |
| 3733 Mixed Colors ..... |  |

#### Single Canterbury Bells Dark Blue, Light Blue, Rose and White

7712—4 pkts., one each of these  
four colors, value 60¢  
for only **50¢**

Annual Canterbury Bells, see page 23.

#### Cup-and-Saucer Canterbury Bells

(*Campanula calycanthema*)

Showy blooms similar in general appearance to the Single Canterbury Bells, but with an extra large calyx of the same color as the cup-shaped corolla. This unusual formation may be likened to a saucer under a cup. Plants bloom in June. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall.

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| 3735 Dark Blue .....    | Any of these<br>separate colors<br>or mixture:<br>Pkt. 15¢;<br>1/8 oz. 50¢;<br>1/4 oz. 85¢ |
| 3736 Light Blue .....   |  |
| 3737 Rose .....         |  |
| 3739 White .....        |  |
| 3741 Mixed Colors ..... |  |

#### Double Canterbury Bells (*Campanula medium fl. pl.*)

3734 Mixed Colors The plants are completely covered with double blooms in white and shades of blue and rose during June. Nice for beds and cutting. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. high.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### Perennial Campanulas

Most effective when grown in the middle or rear of perennial beds, especially in groups. Of easy culture, doing well in any ordinary garden soil. Plants last for years with little care or attention; for the most flowers, however, it is advisable to lift plants and divide them every second year.

3643 *Lactiflora* Extremely showy plants, bearing profusely in July and August, large, loose heads of flowers varying in color from lilac to lavender-blue. 2 to 4 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3747 *Pyramidalis Blue* (Chimney Bell-flower) Small, lavender-blue, star-shaped flowers during August and September. Excellent for backgrounds. 4 to 5 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3694 *Persicifolia Alba* (White Peach Bells) Large, handsome, white, bell-shaped flowers, about 1 1/2 in. long, in showy terminal clusters during June and July. *Persicifolia* means peach-like leaves, hence the common name of Peach Bells. 2 to 2 1/2 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3650 *Persicifolia Blue* (Blue Peach Bells) An excellent companion to the *Persicifolia alba*. Similar to it except the flowers are of a handsome bright blue shade. 2 to 2 1/2 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3746 *Persicifolia Mixed* Blue and white "Peach Bells" mixed. Nice for cutting and hardy border decoration. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. high.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

## HARDY GARDEN CARNATIONS [C]

Who does not love the delightful, spicy fragrance of carnations? They are ideal for cutting and excellent for beds, borders, wide edgings, rock gardens or pots. All do best in well-drained soil, rich in lime, and a sunny exposure. If seed is sown early, many plants will bloom the same season. Plants, especially Chabaud's Giant Improved and Burpee's Super Giants, may be lifted in the fall, cut back and potted up for indoor winter flowering where light and heat conditions are satisfactory.

4000 *Teicher's Double Border, Mixed* Large double flowers, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 in. across, in a wide assortment of many pretty colors. Plants are very hardy. 2 ft. in height.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

3800 *Hardy Border Double, Mixed* Showy double flowers in many self, striped and fancy colors. Makes a fine showing in perennial borders, edgings or beds. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

3757 *Early Dwarf Vienna, Mixed* [R] Very double blooms in a full range of colors. Extra early, large, and free blooming. 1 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

#### Giant Enfant de Nice

A very select French hybrid strain producing strong plants of erect habit, with large, full double, sweet-scented, fringed flowers, 2 1/2 in. and more across, on long, wiry stems. Best treated as a biennial. 18 in. tall.

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| 4001 Red .....    | Any of these:<br>Pkt. 25¢;<br>2 pkts. 45¢;<br>1/16 oz. 75¢ |
| 4002 Rose .....   |  |
| 4003 Salmon ..... |  |
| 4004 White .....  |  |

4005 *Mixed Colors* The above four and other extra choice colors in grand mixture.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 70¢

50 .. Perennial Flowers

#### Chabaud's Giant Improved

Clove-scented, deeply fringed, large, double blooms, 2 in. and more across, may be had in 5 or 6 months from the time the seed is sown. Profuse bloomers. 1 1/2 to 2 ft. tall.

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| 3754 Crimson .....      | Any of these<br>separate colors:<br>Pkt. 25¢;<br>2 pkts. 45¢;<br>1/16 oz. 60¢ |
| 3655 Flesh Pink .....   |   |
| 4012 Salmon Pink .....  |   |
| 3753 Cardinal Red ..... |   |
| 3752 Deep Rose .....    |   |
| 3961 Salmon Rose .....  |   |
| 3751 White .....        |   |
| 3761 Deep Yellow .....  |   |

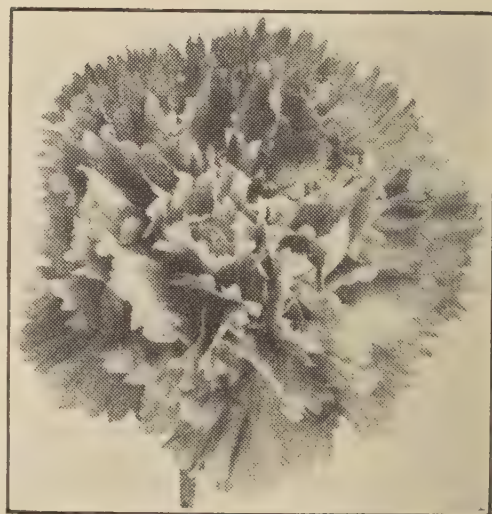
3756 *All Colors Mixed* A colorful blend of all the above and some variegated ones.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

7695—8 pkts., one each of all the above  
eight separate colors,  
value \$2.00 for only **\$1.50**

#### Riviera Giants

3659 *All Colors Mixed* Immense double flowers in a wide range of rich and varied colors as well as unusual color combinations—dainty tones of cream, salmon and orange-buff; odd smoky tones, lavender, purple, garnet and cherry, as well as many bicolor, striped and speckled forms. 2 ft.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00



Burpee's Super Giant Carnation  
4015 Red Wonder Pkt. 35¢

#### Burpee's Super Giants

Huge, fully double, heavily fringed flowers, 3 in. across, are produced most freely on sturdy, upright stems 18 to 20 in. long. Plants bloom in 6 months from seed. Ideal for cutting. Best treated as a biennial.

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| 4015 Red Wonder .....     | Any of these<br>separate colors<br>or mixture:<br>Pkt. 35¢;<br>2 pkts. 65¢;<br>1/16 oz. \$1.00 |
| 3697 Scarlet Wonder ..... |  |
| 3707 White Wonder .....   |  |
| 3688 Yellow Wonder .....  |  |
| 4040 Mixed Colors .....   |  |

7705—4 pkts., one each of all the above  
four separate colors,  
value \$1.40 for only **\$1**

Annual Carnations, see page 23.



## DELPHINIUMS — Hardy Larkspur

Delphiniums are among the most beautiful and most widely used perennials for garden display and cutting. The regal stateliness of their massive, colorful spikes is unequalled by any other flower. They are of easy culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. Bloom in June, and if spikes are not allowed to go to seed, new growth will be produced—usually three crops are had in one season. Blooms the first year if sown early.

**3774 Belladonna Improved** Large, single flowers of an exquisite shade of turquoise-blue loosely arranged on tall, slender spikes. Highly prized for cutting. 3 to 4 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**4080 Bellamosum Improved** Deep gentian-blue single flowers loosely placed on strong, graceful spikes. 3 to 4 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3777 Burpee Mammoth Hybrids** Colors range from azure-blue to deepest purple, mauve-pink to rosy lavender, with many opaline variations. Double, semi-double and single flowers of immense size are freely produced on solid, erect spikes of great rigidity. Plants grow 4 to 6 ft. high.  
Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25

**3798 Wrexham (Hollyhock Flowered)** The stately plants, with their large single, semi-double and double blooms, closely set together, form beautiful spire-like spikes not unlike those of hollyhocks. All shades of blue from the palest to deepest indigo, with many intermediary pastel tones of mauve, pink and lavender blendings, are included in this excellent mixture. 6 ft.  
Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**3778 Choicest Mixed, Gold Medal** Large, single, semi-double and double flowers ranging in color from the lightest shade of blue to darkest purple. 3 to 4 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

### Floradale Giants

Marvelous type, with strong spikes, 4 to 6 ft. tall, studded with large double, semi-double, and single blooms, which often measure 2 in. and more in diameter.

**3792 Art or Pastel Shades** Showy.

**3748 Deep Blue Shades** Excellent.

**3749 Light Blue Shades** Beautiful.

**3808 Mid-Blue Shades** Striking.

**3728 Finest Mixed** Glorious mixture of colors from sky-blue through cornflower-blue, mauve, heliotrope to deep pansy-purple, with many opaline variations and crested "bees" in white, cream, and black.

Any of the above Floradale Giants:

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50

### Burpee's Floradale Giant Delphiniums

Art Shades, Deep Blue Shades,  
Light Blue Shades,  
Mid-Blue Shades

**7570—4 pkts., one each of these four separate blends, value \$2.00 for only \$1.50**

### Giant Pacific

Tall, slender, graceful flower spikes of very large and well-formed blooms. Many of the plants are highly resistant to mildew. We offer an extra choice strain made up over a period of years by careful selection and which we can highly recommend for cutting, exhibition, prized beds, tall borders and backgrounds. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. high.

**4096 Black Knight Series** Large flowers of varying darkest violet shades.

**4097 Blue Jay Series** Medium to dark blue shades with dark "bees"; intense and much alive. Long, dense spikes.

**4079 Cameliard Series** The round, beautifully formed flowers are very large, up to 3 in. across; clear lavender in contrast to the white "bee" in center.

**4098 Galahad Series** Most impressive and desirable; pure glistening white, giant flowers in heavy branching trusses.

**4099 Guinevere Series** Large double flowers of lovely light lavender-blue shades with lighter blue centers. Graceful spikes.

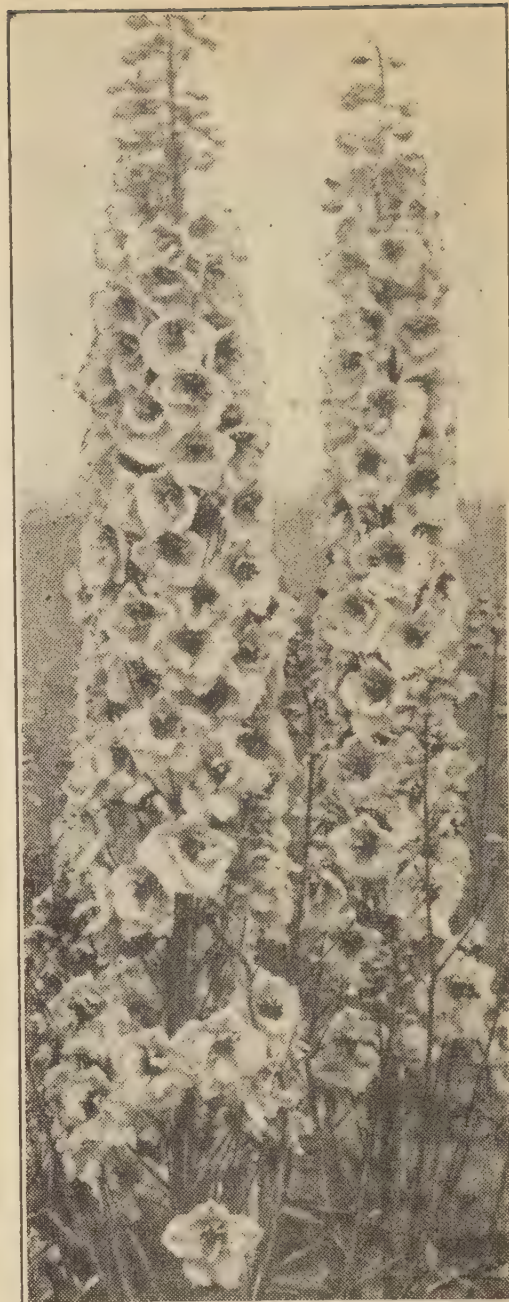
**4092 King Arthur Series** Flowers are large, up to 2 3/4 in. across; deep blue and blue-violet tones in contrast to the prominent white centers. Quite attractive.

**4074 Lancelot Series** Soft and distinct shade of pure lilac set off by a white "bee." Individual flowers are very large.

**4078 Round Table Series** Each year hundreds of crosses are made especially for this group. Some exceptional colors and color combinations can be expected.

**4093 Summer Skies Series** Very large flowers of clear, pure, pleasing shades of azure-blue, light and deep sky blue. Soft and refined; clean and pure. Strong spikes.

Any of the above Giant Pacific Delphiniums: Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00



Giant Pacific Delphiniums,  
4081 Finest Mixed Pkt. 35¢

**4081 Finest Mixed** Magnificent blend of all the different named series of Giant Pacific Delphiniums. A planting is always sure to demand admiration whether in beds or borders; the tall, majestic spikes are most imposing and highly valuable for exhibition. Vigorous growing and very free blooming. White and varied blue shades.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

Annual Delphinium, see page 26.



**3783 Plumarius, Single Mixed** Large single, fringe-edged blooms in many showy colors and pretty markings. 18 in. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

## DIANTHUS — Hardy Garden Pinks

Brilliantly colored flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. The dwarf plants are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms and sizes. Of easy culture; succeed in all soils. Many will bloom the first year if the seed is sown early.

**3781 Allwoodi Mixed** Double, semi-double and single flowers in a wide range of colors from early spring till fall. 1 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**4010 Atrococcineus (Cruentus)** Clusters of dark crimson-scarlet semi- to full double flowers all summer. 15 to 18 in. high.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3782 Caesius splendens** Bright pink, sweet-scented, daintily fringed flowers are freely produced in May and June. 10 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3666 Crimson Bedder** Glowing velvety crimson single and semi-double fringed flowers from May to September. 1 ft. high.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3712 Deltoides Brilliant** Rich rosy crimson flowers are profusely borne in June and July above the little 10 in. plants.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3948 Plumarius, Double Mixed** Double and semi-double fragrant, fringed blooms in a wide range of pretty colors. 18 in.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3637 Roysi** Neat little plants not over 3 in. high and 10 in. across. Flowers 3/4 to 1 in. across, in rose and pink shades; 4 to 8 in. stems. Clove-like fragrance.  
Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/16 oz. \$2.00

**3785 Winteri** Large single, sweet-scented flowers in a delightful mixture of pure colors. In bloom over a long period. 10 in.  
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00

**3667 Rock Garden Rare Species Mixed** An exceptionally fine mixture of dwarf species for rock garden or border.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

Annual Dianthus, see page 27.



## Perennial Flowers

## GAILLARDIA—Blanket Flower

Gorgeously colored, long-stemmed, daisy-like flowers in profusion from June to October. Showy in the garden; fine for cutting. Easily grown; the plants will flower the first year if seed is sown early. Thrive in full sun and any good light or medium garden soil. Will stand drought and hot weather; always dependable. 2 ft. tall, except Goblin.

**3648 Burgundy** The reddest gaillardia—shining wine-red petals sometimes tipped yellow. Exceedingly showy and effective.  
Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**3914 Dazzler** Rather large flowers of bright golden yellow with deep crimson-maroon center. Charming as a cut flower.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3647 Goblin** Nice for borders; profuse blooming plants, 1 to 1 1/2 ft. tall, covered with large bright yellow flowers zoned red.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3941 Portola Hybrids** Attractive bronzy scarlet flowers heavily tipped with golden yellow. Large flowers on strong, stiff stems freely produced throughout the season.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**3676 Sunset** Charming flowers of rich golden yellow that are valuable for cutting.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**3922 Tangerine** Various shades of tangerine-orange with coppery cast. Cheerful.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢  
Annual Gaillardia, see page 37.

## GYPSOPHILA—Perennial Baby's Breath

**4047 Oldhamiana** Especially valuable because it blooms after other varieties are past and at a time of the year when dainty pink flowers are scarce. The light rose-pink flowers are borne most profusely in lacy clusters on stiff stems 2 to 2 1/2 ft. long.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**4048 Pacifica** Much branched plants of the paniculata type but taller, more erect growing, and later blooming; flowers are clear rose-pink. Good for cutting. 3 to 4 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**3799 Paniculata Double** Small, double white blooms in much branched panicles during June and July. The multitude of tiny flowers per stem add grace and lightness when mixed with other blooms in vases and bouquets. Grow 3 ft. high.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

Annual Gypsophila, see page 38.

**3807 Paniculata Single** Tiny white flowers on slender stems are produced so freely as to give the plant a mist-like effect. Blooms during June and July. All paniculata types are valuable for mixing with other flowers in the fresh state and they can be dried for winter use. Grows 2 1/2 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**4049 Paniculata Snowball** Larger flowered and earlier blooming than paniculata double. Miniature balls of pure white double flowers cover the 2 to 3 ft. plants.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢

**3709 Repens** An excellent trailing, dense, carpet-like plant for the rock garden, edging or border; small white flowers freely borne during June and July. 6 in. high.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**3672 Repens Rose** Same habit of growth as Repens but flowers are light pink.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

## CHEIRANTHUS

### Siberian Wallflower

Best grown as a biennial. The plants often flower the first year from seed if it is sown early. Blooms during May and June. Prized for cutting, rock gardens and borders.

**3765 Allioni** Delightfully sweet-scented, brilliant orange-yellow flowers are freely produced on branching plants. 1 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢

**3745 Golden Bedder** Large golden yellow, sweet-scented flowers. Plants usually produce 10 to 15 spikes. 12 to 18 in. high.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 50¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢

## CHINESE LANTERN—See Physalis

## COREOPSIS—Golden Wave

One of the most popular and easiest grown hardy plants. Blooms profusely from May until autumn if flowers are not allowed to go to seed. Will flower the first year if seed is sown early. Showy in the border, fine for cutting. Vigorous growing; plant in full sun for best results. 2 to 3 ft. high.

**3768 Grandiflora** Large, showy, golden yellow flowers; an improved old favorite.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 35¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢

**3758 Grandiflora Double** Beautifully formed double and semi-double bright golden yellow flowers on long, stiff stems.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 50¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢

**4086 Maritima** Immense, bright canary-yellow flowers, 4 in. across; tall, bushy, free-blooming plants with feathery foliage. Also known as Leptosyne maritima. 3 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

**3938 Mayfield Giant** The brilliant deep golden yellow flowers are extra large, bigger than the grandiflora types above.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 70¢

Annual Coreopsis see Calliopsis, page 21.

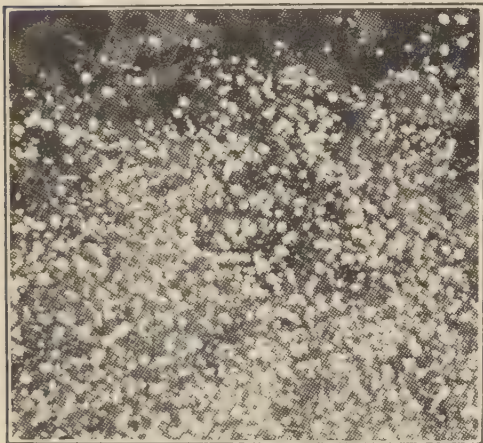
## DIGITALIS—Foxglove

All are of the gloxiniaeflora type, so that the flowers are shaped and spotted like gloxinias. Do well in sun or half-shade; bloom in June and July. Splendid for beds and borders. Being biennials, seed should be sown every year for a continuous display.

**3787 Fine Mixed** Many choice colors, including deep purple, white and rose-pink; prettily spotted or blotched. 3 to 4 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3794 Shirley Mixed** Extra large bell-shaped flowers in a wide range of beautiful colors from white and shell-pink to deepest rose, many delightfully blotched or spotted with crimson, maroon or chocolate. Plants grow about 6 ft. tall, with enormous flowering spikes often 3 ft. and more in length.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

3941 Gaillardia, Portola Hybrids Pkt. 15¢



3799 Gypsophila paniculata double Pkt. 25¢



3745 Cheiranthus, Golden Bedder Pkt. 15¢



3758 Coreopsis grandiflora double Pkt. 15¢



3794 Digitalis, Shirley Mixed Pkt. 25¢



## BURPEE'S HOLLYHOCKS

Hollyhocks are old garden favorites, excellent for a background to dwarfier plants, for screening unsightly places, and planting along bare walls. They are of the easiest culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. The plants like a warm, sunny location, sheltered from the wind and should be staked. Bloom from late spring until midsummer.

### Double Large Flowered

The following are the well-known double French Chater type. The plants produce stately spikes which grow 5 to 6 ft. tall.

3823 <b>Crimson</b> .....	Any of these eight separate colors:
3815 <b>Maroon</b> .....	
3821 <b>Newport Pink</b> .....	
3820 <b>Salmon Pink</b> .....	
3816 <b>Rose</b> .....	
3817 <b>Scarlet</b> .....	Pkt. 15¢;
3819 <b>White</b> .....	1/8 oz. 50¢;
3818 <b>Deep Yellow</b> .....	1/4 oz. 85¢

3822 **All Colors Mixed** A splendid assortment of all the above and other colors.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

### Six Double Hollyhocks

**Crimson, Salmon Pink, Rose, Scarlet, White and Deep Yellow**

7843—6 pkts., one of each, value 90¢ for only **75¢**

3679 **Burpee's Fancy Mixed** Large double flowers with waved and fringed petals of many unusual colors. 5 to 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

3825 **Carnation Flowered Mixed** Beautiful large blooms, 4 to 5 in. across, resembling a huge carnation. Extremely double, with rather narrow petals arranged so as to form large, fluffy pompons which are solidly set on the tall, spire-like stalks. 5 to 6 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

3677 **Triumph Double Mixed** Rather dwarf-growing type of distinct branching habit. The large double flowers have fringed petals and come in many fine colors. 4 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### Single Large Flowered

3828 **Mixed Colors** Magnificent plants, 8 ft. tall, the spikes studded with huge single flowers in a wide range of bright and showy colors.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

Annual Hollyhocks, see page 38.

## Perennial Flowers



3679 Hollyhock, Fancy Mixed Pkt. 25¢

### GEUM—Avens ☐

Dainty double blooms are freely produced on long stems from June to September if not allowed to go to seed. Needs protection over winter in cold sections. 1½ to 2 ft.

3804 **Lady Stratheden** Bright golden yellow, loosely double flowers; rich color.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

3806 **Mrs. Bradshaw** Large, double, fiery scarlet showy flowers in great profusion.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

### HELIANTHEMUM—Rock Rose Ⓡ Ⓣ

3801 **Mutabile Mixed** Dwarf, evergreen plants with innumerable lovely rose, pink, yellow and white blooms during May and June. Ideal for dry, sunny situations in borders, banks or rock gardens. 1 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

### HEUCHERA—Coral Bells Ⓜ Ⓡ Ⓣ

3811 **Sanguinea Hybrids** Dainty white, pink, rose, and crimson bell-shaped blooms on graceful, slender spikes 12 to 18 in. long from June until September. Fine for border, rock garden and lovely for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 95¢

### HIBISCUS—Mallow Marvels Ⓜ

3812 **Giant Mixed** Vigorous shrub-like plants bearing profusely white, pink and red flowers of enormous size during August and September. Easily grown, doing well in moist or dry locations. 5 to 6 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢

### IBERIS—Perennial Candytuft Ⓡ Ⓣ

During spring and early summer the dwarf, neat evergreen, shrubby plants are hidden under a mass of flowers. Excellent for rock gardens or borders, and extremely charming on ledges or walls. Useful as a ground covering but water freely during periods of drought. Grow 6 to 10 in. tall.

3848 **Gibraltarica hybrida** Lovely lavender-pink; largest and showiest clusters.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

3684 **Jucunda** The dwarf, bluish green plants, 6 in. tall, are covered during May and June with dainty, small pink flowers in short compact clusters. Succeeds well in the open border but is more at home in the rock garden. Listed botanically as aethionema.

Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/32 oz. 75¢

Annual Candytuft, see page 22.

### LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS

#### Perennial Sweet Pea ♂

3839 **Mixed Colors** Vigorous climbing or trailing plants with showy clusters of pink, white and reddish purple sweet-pea-like flowers from June until September if not allowed to go to seed. Desirable for training on trellis, fence, pergola, arch or covering banks, rocks, rough places; good for cutting. Quick grower. Succeeds in almost any kind of soil and location with practically no care. 5 to 6 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢

### LILIES FROM SEED—Lilium ☐

Lilies are easily grown from seed and last for years once they have become established. While the flowers delight in full sun, the soil around the base of the plants should be provided with a mulch.

3830 **Philippinense formasanum** If seed is sown early, many blooms may be expected the first year. It usually requires 6 to 8 months after seed is sown before flowers appear. If grown in pots, plants will often bloom two or three times a year. Long, trumpet-shaped white flowers with reflexing petals are borne in umbels and somewhat resemble an Easter Lily. 2 to 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

3840 **Regal (Regale)** Gorgeous, trumpet-shaped, heavily scented white blooms with a touch of canary-yellow deep in throat and a shading of lilac-pink on the outside. The strong growing plants bloom in July. Seed germinates quickly; some blooms can be expected the second year. 3 to 5 ft. tall, depending on age of plants.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

For Lily Bulbs, see page 115.



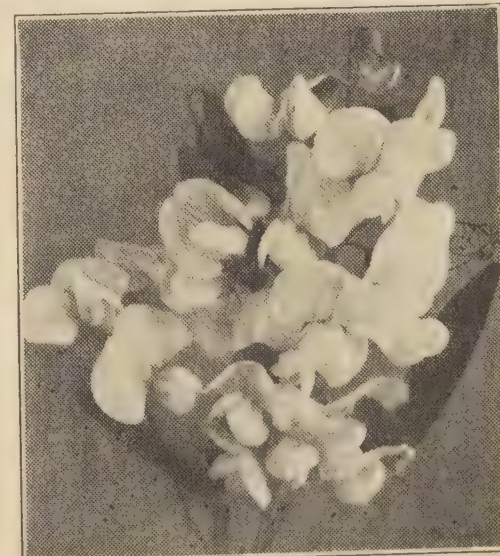
3840 Regal Lily Pkt. 25¢



3804 Geum, Lady Stratheden Pkt. 25¢



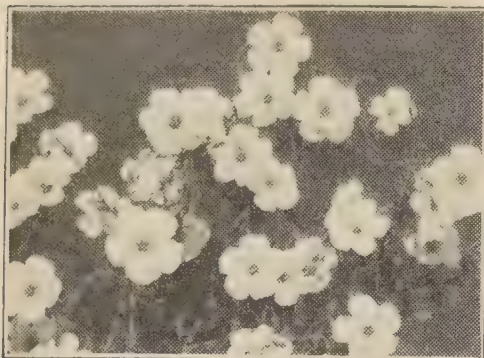
3848 Iberis, Gibraltarica hybrida Pkt. 15¢



3839 Lathyrus, Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢



## Perennial Flowers



3841 *Linum, Perenne Blue* Pkt. 10¢

### LINUM—Perennial Flax®

**3841 Perenne Blue** Light blue flowers in great profusion from May until August. Easily grown from seed. Succeeds in ordinary soil and an open, sunny location. 2 ft.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/4 oz. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 40¢

### LUPINES—*Lupinus polyphyllus* ☐

Magnificent plants with elegant spikes of pea-flower-like blooms during May and June. Succeed in deeply prepared, well-drained, sandy or light woods soil. 3 ft.

**3845 Blue** Rich blue shaded light purple.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**3899 Russell** Well-rounded, thickly set spikes of the most extraordinary colors—blues, pinks, reds, yellows, purples, and other self-colors, also a beautiful assortment of bicolors such as have never before been seen in lupines. Extra select mixture.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**3844 White** Clear waxy white flowers.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**3844a Rose** Soft, rose-pink flowers. Fine.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢

**3842 Mixed** Splendid blend of all colors in varying hues of blue, pink, yellow, etc.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢

**3950 Burpee's Improved Hybrids** Contains a wide range of the more delicate colors—creamy pink, orange, salmon, chocolate, lavender, etc., and some bicolors.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

Annual Lupines, see page 39.

### Four Hardy Lupines

Blue, Russell, White  
and Burpee's Improved Hybrids

7840—4 pkts., one of each,  
value 80¢ for only **60¢**



3950 *Lupines, Improved Hybrids* Pkt. 25¢

### LINARIA—Kenilworth Ivy® M O

**3966 Cymbalaria** Small, lilac-blue flowers on trailing stems throughout the summer. Desirable for rock gardens, ground covers or hanging baskets. Prefers a moist soil and shady location. 4 to 6 in.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢



3853 *Lychnis chalcidonica* Pkt. 10¢

### LYCHNIS—Maltese Cross☐

**3853 Chalcedonica** Easily and quickly grown from seed and will bloom the first year if seed is sown early. Valuable for beds, borders and cutting. Flowers are fiery scarlet; each individual blossom forms a Maltese Cross. June and July. 2 ft. high.  
Pkt. 10¢; 1/8 oz. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 40¢

### NEPETA—Catmint, Ground Ivy®

**3968 Mussini** Pretty upright spikes of lavender-blue flowers cover the neat little bushes from May until September. Both foliage and flowers are aromatic. 1 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

### PHYSALIS—Chinese Lantern

**3856 Francheti** Largely grown for its vividly colored, scarlet-red, lantern-shaped fruits which, when cut and dried, are widely used for winter bouquets. Does well in a sunny situation in any ordinary garden soil. The bright red lanterns are ready in the late summer of the second year from sowing of seed. When cut, will keep for weeks. 2 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢

### PRIMULA—Hardy Primroses® M R O

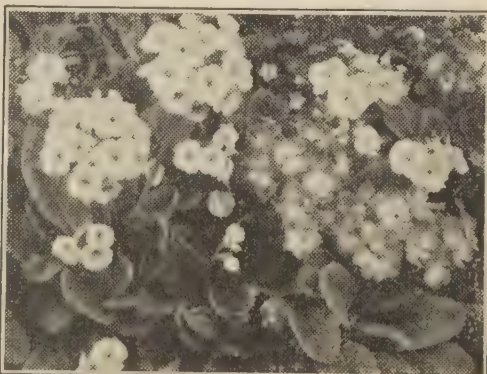
Beautiful early spring flowering perennials with colorful blooms of varied forms. They prefer half-shade and rich, moist, but well-drained soil. Fine for edgings, borders, and rock gardens; most effective if planted in groups. Seed is slow to germinate.

**3861 Auricula, Finest Mixed** Many bright colors, including soft orange, copper-brown, and other pastel shades. The plants grow 6 in. tall and bloom during April and May. Flowers are delightfully fragrant.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢

**3859 Polyanthus, Giant Mixed** (*Primula veris elatior*.) Very large clusters of flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, cream, pink, rose, crimson, lilac, purple, violet, as well as white. Plants grow 6 to 9 in. tall and produce numerous flower stems in April and May. Individual flowers are large, some eyed with contrasting color, others often gold laced. Often referred to as Bunch Primrose.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢



3859 *Primula Polyanthus, Giant Mixed* Pkt. 25¢



3850 *Pyrethrum roseum, Startler* Pkt. 25¢

### PYRETHRUM ROSEUM

#### Persian Daisy☐

Easily and quickly grown from seed. Bloom in May and June, and if the plants are cut back they will bloom again later in the season. They make wonderful cut flowers. The fern-like foliaged plants are beautiful even when not in bloom. Should be grown in rich soil and a sunny location. 2 ft.

**3680 Single Ruby Red** Large ruby-red flowers, mostly single, although there are occasionally some semi-double blooms.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**3850 Startler** Showy, single flowers, 3 in. across, of a striking deep crimson-rose color in contrast to the light yellow center.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**3870 Single Mixed** The large, daisy-like blooms in white, and many shades of rose, pink, lilac and red are most desirable for cutting; showy subjects in the garden.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

**3866 Double Mixed** Seed has been saved from full double flowers, but some semi-doubles and singles can be expected. White, rose, pink, crimson, flesh-pink and red in mixture. Especially valuable for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 70¢



3874 *Rudbeckia speciosa* Pkt. 15¢

### RUDBECKIA—Coneflower☐ O

**3873 Purpurea** Large, daisy-like, pastel garnet-purple flowers with prominent cone-shaped centers. July and August. 3 to 4 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3874 Speciosa** (Newman) Brilliant, rich orange-yellow, daisy-like blooms with deep brown centers. July to September. 3 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢  
Annual Rudbeckia, see page 44.

### SALVIA—Hardy Blue Sage☐

**3891 Azurea grandiflora** Long spikes of bright sky-blue flowers during August and September. Makes a fine display. 3 ft.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢



## BURPEE'S HARDY POPPIES

The colorful beauty of perennial poppies assures them a place in every garden. They are of easy culture, growing to perfection in any average well-drained garden soil and in full sun. The seed is best sown where the plants are to bloom, especially *Orientele* type.

### Nudicaule—Iceland Poppies

Iceland Poppies are charming in the border or rock garden, and furnish ideal cut flowers when picked while in bud. The plants form neat, compact tufts of bright green foliage, from which arise graceful, wiry stems bearing their flowers in brilliant colors in early summer and more or less throughout the season. Will flower the first year if sown early. Often grown as an annual. 15 to 18 in. tall, except where noted.

**3998 Alpinum Mixed** Charming miniature poppies, invaluable for edgings or rock gardens. The flowers, on stems about 6 in. long above the grayish green foliage, are of white, orange, yellow and shades of pink; many are fringed.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**3996 Coonara Pink Improved** Gorgeous pink shades of varying intensity from soft pink to deep rose, apricot, salmon, etc., are in this selection.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**3965 Gartref Art Shades** Huge flowers in beautiful art or pastel shades, many delicately edged or daintily picotee with contrasting colors. Refined.  
Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 70¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

**3690 Sandford Giants** Very large blooms on strong, long stems in a beautiful range of pastel and deeper colors. Largest flowered of all our Iceland Poppies. Sure to attract attention.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3993 Exquisite Mixed** This is an extra choice blend of the finest large-flowered varieties in a wide range of the most beautiful colors. Some flowers have attractively crinkled crepe-like petals.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3849 Single Mixed** A choice mixture of many colors for a gorgeous display. The flowers are of good size; stems are long and wiry. Makes a nice showing.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢



3810  
Iceland Poppy,  
Yellow Wonder  
Pkt. 25¢

**3810 Yellow Wonder** Showy, cup-shaped flowers, 4 in. across, of rich lemon-yellow changing to bright buttercup-yellow with lighter centers. It is longer stemmed and more vigorous growing than any other Iceland Poppy. Ideal for garden and border use; lovely for cutting. Profuse bloomer over a long period. Long lasting. 2 ft. high.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

Annual Poppies, see page 42.

### Four Hardy Iceland Poppies

Coonara Pink Improved, Gartref Art Shades, Sandford Giants and Yellow Wonder

7562—4 pkts., one each of these 4 charming and distinct varieties, value 95¢ for only **75¢**

### Orientele—Oriental Poppies

Huge, brilliantly colored flowers borne profusely during May and June on plants 3 ft. tall. Color of flowers will not come 100% true from seed but will show a good percentage of the proper color. May be left undisturbed for years when once established. If possible, grow in a sheltered location away from the wind.

**3851 Orientele** Bright orange-scarlet with a conspicuous purplish black blotch at the base of each petal. Striking. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

**3847 Choicest Mixed** Fiery red, scarlet, crimson, orange-scarlet, salmon and other exquisite colors in a glorious blend. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢



3847 Oriental Poppy, Choicest Mixed Pkt. 25¢

### SCABIOSA—Blue Bonnet

Succeeds in any fairly rich soil and a sunny location. June to September. 1 1/2 to 2 ft.

**3876 Caucasica** Soft shade of lavender.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00

**3877 Columbaria Lavender** Attractive lavender-blue shade. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

**3878 Columbaria Pink** Deep rosy mauve with a pink sheen. Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

**4085 Fischeri** Large violet-blue flowers.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢

**4065 House's Giant Hybrids** Long-stemmed giant flowers ranging from deepest ultramarine-blue to palest lavender, azure-blue and silvery white mixed.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢  
Annual Scabiosa, see page 44.



4065  
Scabiosa, House's Giant Hybrids Pkt. 25¢



3771 Shasta Daisy, Floradale Daisy Pkt. 25¢

### SHASTA DAISY

Generally suitable for borders and cut flowers, doing best in moist but well-drained locations. Pure glistening white flowers in June and July. Extremely hardy; easy to grow with little care. 2 to 2 1/2 ft. tall.

**3770 Alaska** Large white, single flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with small yellow centers. Stems are long and strong. Very popular.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

**3771 Floradale Daisy** The petals are shredded, quilled and gracefully incurved, giving the large, pure white flower a semi-double, chrysanthemum-like appearance.  
Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/16 oz. 60¢

### SCUTELLARIA—Skull Cap

**4077 Coelestina** Bright violet-blue flowers on 15 in. spikes during July and August. Nice for borders, rock gardens and cutting.  
Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### SIDALCEA—Prairie Mallow

**3956 Hybrids** Erect, slender spikes of mallow-like flowers varying in color from bluish-pink to crimson. June and July. Does well in sunny borders. Blooms first year if the seed is sown early. 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

### STOCKS—Gilliflower

**3880 Emperor or Perpetual** Large spikes of fragrant flowers in a wide range of colors. Biennial in mild climates. 1 to 1 1/2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

### 6 Popular Hardy Perennial and Biennial Flowers

**Aquilegia**, Long-Spurred Hybrid  
**Coreopsis** grandiflora  
**Delphinium**, Gold Medal Mixed  
**Digitalis**, Shirley Mixed  
**Gaillardia**, Portola Hybrids  
**Gypsophila** paniculata single

7610—6 pkts., one each of these 6 separate named varieties for beds, borders and cutting, value \$1.10 for only **75¢**



## SWEET WILLIAM—*Dianthus barbatus* ☐

Large, showy flower-heads composed of numerous good-sized individual blooms in May and June. Of easy culture. For the best results, treat as a biennial. 1 to 1½ ft. tall.



3885 Sweet William, Newport Pink  
Pkt. 15¢

### Five Sweet Williams

Copper Red, Crimson Beauty, Newport Pink, Scarlet Beauty and Pure White

7813—5 pkts., one of each, value 75¢ for only **60¢**

- 3957 **Copper Red** Bright copper tone.  
4026 **Crimson Beauty** Crimson with a white center marked deeper crimson.  
3958 **Dark Crimson** Dark but bright.  
3959 **Holborn Glory** Many colors, all having a distinct, showy white eye.  
3885 **Newport Pink** Watermelon-pink.  
3886 **Pink Beauty** Pink suffused salmon.  
3890 **Scarlet Beauty** Bright scarlet.  
3897 **Pure White** Glistening white.  
Any of the above Sweet Williams:  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢  
3884 **Single Mixed** Many choice colors, some solid, others with clear white eye.  
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢  
3892 **Double Mixed** Wonderful range of colors. A high percentage of double flowers can be expected from this select strain.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

### Dwarf Sweet William ☐

- 4069 **Mixed Colors** The dwarf, compact plants, 6 in. tall, are covered with clusters of single flowers in a wide range of beautiful colors. Wonderful for edgings.  
Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

Annual Sweet William, see page 46.



3963 *Statice caspia* Pkt. 15¢

### STATICE—Sea Lavender ☐

Masses of dainty flowers in large panicles. Useful for cutting; the flowers when dried last for months. In bloom during July and August. 2 to 3 ft., except Lavender Gem.

- 3963 **Caspia** Small lilac blooms on much-branched stems. Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 50¢  
4024 **Dumosa** Soft, silvery gray flowers. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 75¢  
3879 **Latifolia** Immense lavender-purple heads. Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢  
3773 **Lavender Gem** ☐ Light lavender. 1 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 75¢

Annual Statice, see page 46.

### VALERIANA—Garden Heliotrope ☐

3898 **Coccinea** Large heads of bright rosy red flowers with a delicate heliotrope-like fragrance. June to October. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

### VERONICA—Speedwell ☐

4083 **Blue Candle** Long, slender spikes closely set with beautiful blue flowers which hold their color over a long period. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 60¢

3981 **Longifolia** Light blue flowers freely borne during July and August. 2 ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢

3893a **Spicata, Mixed** Bright blue, pink and white mixed. June and July. 1½ ft.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 50¢; ¼ oz. 85¢



4070 *Tritoma*, Burbank's Hybrids Pkt. 25¢

### TRITOMA—Red Hot Poker ☐

Tall spikes topped by narrow, tubular flowers from pale yellow to orange-red. August to October. For border and cutting. Not reliably hardy in cold regions. 3 to 4 ft.

4027 **Choice Hybrids** Unusual colors—citron, yellow, orange, coral-red, mixed.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 60¢

3893 **Early Hybrids Mixed** Many colors. Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

4070 **Burbank's Hybrids** Tall, erect, and vigorous plants. Rare colors in mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00

### WALLFLOWER ☐

3894 **Fine Double Mixed** Long spikes closely set with large, double, sweet-scented flowers in bright oriental red and yellow colors in May. Make nice cut flowers. In northern states, plants should be lifted in the fall and wintered over in a coldframe. Effective garden subjects. 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ⅓ oz. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 75¢

Annual Wallflower, see page 47.



4030 *Verbena venosa* Pkt. 25¢

### VERBENA, HARDY GARDEN

4030 **Venosa** Spreading plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with large panicles of purplish blue flowers from July until frost. Blooms the first year if started early. In cold sections, give winter protection. Largely used for bedding and makes a good ground cover.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 75¢

Annual Verbena, see page 47.



4029 *Viola cornuta*, Apricot Pkt. 25¢

### VIOLA CORNUTA

#### Large Flowered Tufted Pansies ☐

Smaller flowered than pansies and more persistent. Easily grown, dependable, and full of bloom all through the summer until hard frost if the faded blossoms are kept picked off. Lovely in beds, rock gardens and edgings. Bloom the first year if seed is sown early; in fact, it is grown as an annual in many sections, especially where winters are severe. 6 in. is average height.

4035 **Admiration** Deep violet-blue.

4029 **Apricot** Rich apricot tinged orange.

4060 **Arkwright Ruby** Ruby-crimson shaded terra-cotta; maroon in center.

4034 **Avalanche** Glistening snow-white.

4044 **Blue Perfection** Light blue.

3665 **Chantryland** Pure apricot over-all without any shading of orange.

4042 **Yellow Perfection** Deep yellow.

4084 **Special Mixture** All best colors.

Any of the above *Viola cornuta*:

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ⅓ oz. 60¢

### Four Dainty Violas

Admiration, Apricot, Avalanche and Yellow Perfection

7740—4 pkts., one each, value \$1.00 for only **85¢**

### 6 Dwarf Hardy Flowers for Rock Garden and Border

*Alyssum saxatile compactum*

*Arabis alpina*

*Cerastium tomentosum*

*Heuchera sanguinea* hybrids

*Linaria cymbalaria*

*Linum perenne* blue

7612—6 pkts., one each of these 6 separate named varieties of low-growing habit for edgings, borders and rock gardens, value \$1.05 for only **75¢**



# Burpee Vegetable Seeds



ALL BURPEE VEGETABLE SEEDS ARE SENT POSTPAID ANYWHERE IN U. S.

## EDIBLE SOY BEAN

**35 Bansei** 96 days for use as green shelled beans. One of the most productive and will produce crops in nearly any section of the country. The plants are erect, bush-like and literally loaded with pods, each containing 2 or 3 oval-shaped, bright green beans which are delicious cooked as green shelled beans. When fully matured, the dried beans are yellow and may be cooked similarly to lima beans. Suitable for freezing. High in proteins and vitamins. Pods are short, fuzzy, not edible, and borne high in the plants which are rigid, upright and grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Immune to practically all diseases and insects which commonly attack garden beans. Stands heat and drought and will even do well on poor soil. For use as green beans, use seeds as soon as they are fully formed. A pkt. will plant 25 ft. of row; 1 lb. 150 ft.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## GIANT BUTTER or FAVA BEAN

Mammoth pods with 5 to 7 lima-like beans

**24 Long Pod** 85 days. Giant Butter or Fava are the well-known Broad Beans, much harder than other beans and should be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked; they will not thrive in summer heat. Plants are large and erect, true bush form, and heavy yielders. Pods are glossy green, 7 in. long, and contain 5 to 7 large, oblong-shaped, flat, light green beans, which are valuable for use as green shell beans. The pods are not edible; the large beans somewhat resemble lima beans and should be used in the same way, either cooked fresh or as a winter shell bean. Flavor is somewhat like that of the pea. Becoming very popular, especially in large city hotels and restaurants. Dry seed is large, circular, flat, reddish brown with black eye. Try a planting this year. One pkt. is enough for 15 ft. of row; 1 lb. 75 ft. of row.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### Maturity Dates

The average number of days required from the time the seed is sown until vegetables are ready for use is given with each variety. Where plants must first be grown, such as Celery, Cabbage, Peppers, Tomatoes, etc., the number of days to maturity is from the time plants are set in the garden. Of course, the time is average, having been obtained over a period of years in our trial grounds under different conditions; some variation is to be expected, depending on the season, locality and time of sowing. The approximate maturity dates given will show the relative time when different varieties will be ready to use.

### ◎ Follow the Bull's Eye ◎

We have used this mark, ◎, for years to guide the gardener in the selection of vegetable varieties which we believe will give the best results under varied conditions of soil and climate. If you are not thoroughly posted which varieties to choose as the most suitable for your particular section, we suggest that you make your selection from those marked with the bull's eye. They have been found most satisfactory throughout the country.

## BUSH SHELL BEANS — may be used either green or dried

Grown mostly as dried beans for winter use; the pods of Dwarf and French Horticultural may be used, when young, as snap beans. The culture is similar to that recommended for bush beans on page 58, but shell beans should be left on the plants until the pods are matured. The bushes are then cut, allowed to dry, and the beans threshed and thoroughly dried out before they are put away for later use. A pkt. will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb. 150 ft. of row. Many varieties of pole beans, listed on page 61, are also desirable as shell beans.

**30 Michilite Pea Bean** 90 days. Similar to Improved White Navy but more uniform, productive, and of better quality. The small white beans are used for baking, boiling and soup, or dried for winter.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 55¢; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25

**28 Red Kidney** 95 days. Pods are 6 in. long, flat, light green; beans are large, kidney-shaped, pinkish red to mahogany, and are in great demand either baked, boiled, in soups or certain Spanish and Mexican dishes. They have a rich flavor, entirely different from white shell beans and are preferred by many persons. Plants are large and very prolific.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

**56 Great Northern** 90 days. Oval, dark green pods 3 to 4 in. long, filled with white dry beans which are excellent for boiling, baking and soup.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

**29 White Marrowfat** 100 days. Flat, nearly straight, pods 4½ to 5 in. long, well filled with 5 and sometimes 6 large white beans; valued for baking.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

**26 Dwarf Horticultural** 65 days to green shell beans. Pods 5 to 5½ in. long, thick-flat, light green, marked and splashed with carmine at maturity.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; 1 lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

**57 French Horticultural** 73 days to green shell beans. Pods are attractive, broad, flat, meaty, light green, 6 to 7 in. long, and are heavily splashed and streaked with bright carmine at the green shell stage.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; 1 lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.75

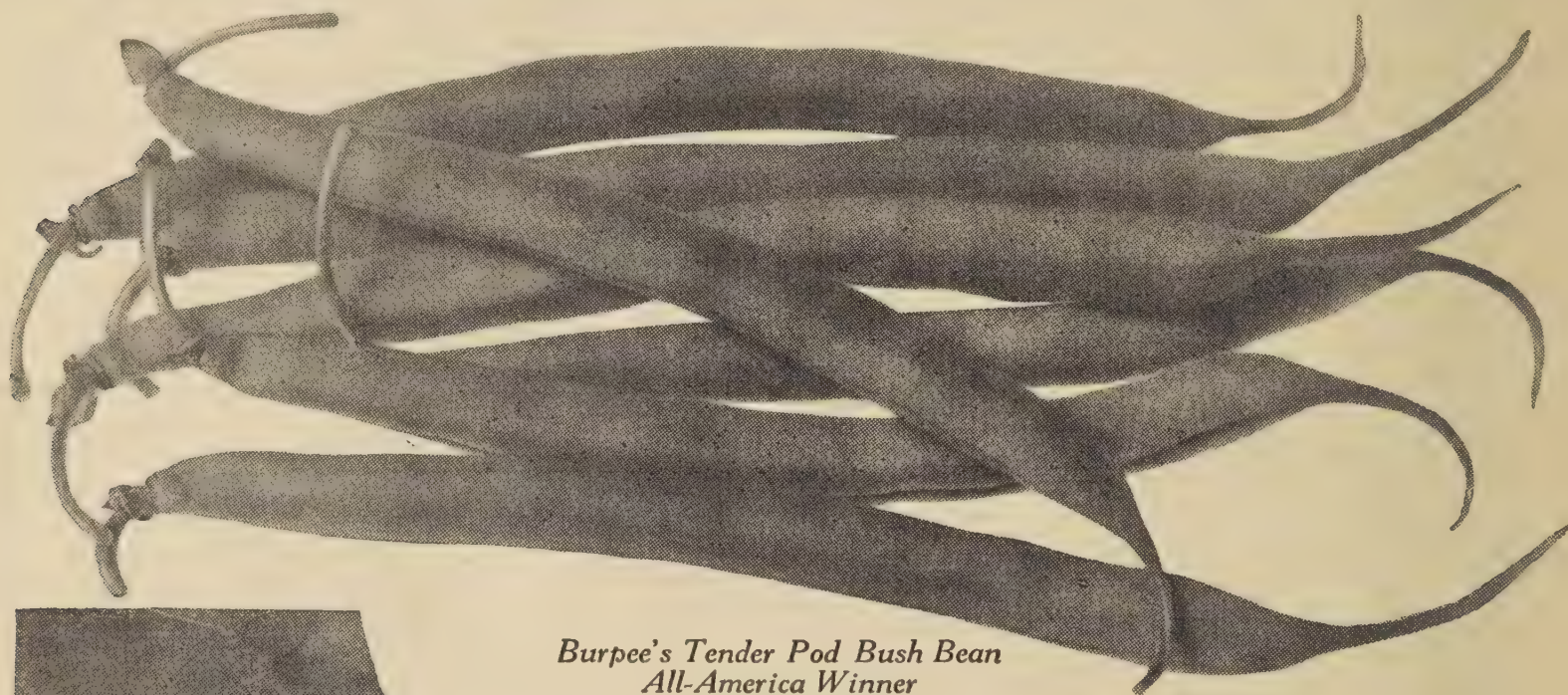
Beans are continued on the next six pages . . 57



# Stringless Green-Pod BUSH BEANS

Before the introduction of stringless bush beans, green and yellow podded varieties were known as string beans and this name, unfortunately, seems to remain in many localities. Now that strings and tough fiber have been bred out of these varieties, we

are referring to them as snap beans. Take a pod, green or yellow, break it quickly and see how it snaps. Pods are most delicious, raw or cooked, if picked when quite young and tender. They have more vitamins than, are better for you, and, of course, they taste better.



*Burpee's Tender Pod Bush Bean  
All-America Winner*

## 47 Burpee's Tender Pod ☉ — *Supreme quality*

48 days. The most delicate flavored, the most tender and the most succulent bean at all stages of growth. Pods are brittle, fleshy, meaty, stringless, fiberless, 4½ to 5½ in. long, thick, round, smooth, deep green, slightly curved with a long and distinctively curved tip. Of great value for the home garden; wonderful for canning and freezing. Matures early and is productive over a long period. Seeds are pearly white, with a small red spot on either side of the eye; the red spots do not appear until beans are about matured. Dried beans are excellent for baking or boiling. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.00

## 13 Bountiful ☉ — *Flat pods*

47 days. Broad, flat, tender green pods, 6 to 7 in. long; strictly stringless, and of a rich flavor. Has proved to be unexcelled on heavy as well as light soils; reliable everywhere. Plants are vigorous, hardy and very prolific. Bountiful is the most popular extra early, flat green-pod bush bean for home garden or market as well as shipping.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 36 Longgreen — *Round pods*

50 days. Pods often measure 7 in. and more in length, round, fiberless, full flavored, thick meat and entirely stringless. A special strain of Tendergreen retaining all the best qualities of that famous variety and, in addition, the delicious pods are longer and mature earlier. An excellent quality, green-pod snap bean for home garden and market. The plants are vigorous and highly productive over a long period. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$2.85

For home canning and freezing, we strongly recommend the round-podded varieties.

## 39 Plentiful — *Thick, flat pods*

50 days. The pods are flat, thick, straight to very slightly curved, medium-green, 6 to 7 in. long, fairly smooth, stringless and of good quality. The plants are most prolific, and make a strong growth even when conditions are not favorable for best results. Growers of shipping beans should certainly give Plentiful a trial, as well as home and market gardeners wanting an early, flat, meaty green-pod bean that bears for a long time. Black seeded. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 32 Stringless Black Valentine

51 days. Semi-round or oval, dark green pods, 6 to 6½ in. long, brittle, smooth, of fine quality, delicate flavor and entirely stringless at all stages of growth. Sure cropper, even under adverse weather conditions, and on practically all types of soil. Seeds are jet-black. It is popular with the home gardener, market grower and shipper. All-America Silver Medal Winner.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; lb. 50¢;  
2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

**Burpee pays delivery charges anywhere in the U. S. on all seeds offered in this catalog except large quantities of Lawn Grass.**

*Bountiful  
Green-Pod  
Bush Bean*

### How to Grow Bush Snap Beans

Plant seed when danger of frost is past and the soil is warm, in rows 18 to 30 in. apart for hand cultivation or 2½ to 3 ft. apart for field cultivation. Make furrows about 2 in. deep and space the beans 2 to 3 in. apart in the row. Cover with fine soil and firm the soil over the seed with your foot or the back of a rake to insure good germination. When plants are 2 or 3 in. high, thin to stand 4 to 6 in. apart in the row. For a continuous supply of tender pods, make additional sowings when the preceding planting is up and growing; allow plenty of time for the last sowing to bear before frost. Plants grow 15 to 20 in. tall and will bear more pods if you pick them when young at which time they are truly delicious. A pkt. of seed will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb., 150-ft.





*Burpee's Stringless  
Green-Pod Bush Bean*

## 10 Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod

50 days. Attractive, round green pods 5 to 6 in. long, slightly curved and so thick, even when quite young, as to appear double-barreled. Always tender, brittle, meaty, juicy, entirely stringless and of the finest flavor. The plants are medium-large, spreading bush form, with dark green foliage; enormously productive and have yielded remarkably well under adverse conditions. Seeds are a dark coffee-brown color. A favorite green-pod bush bean for home use, canning, freezing and commercial planting.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 21 Rival—All-America Winner

50 days. Medium-green, very meaty, round to double barreled, smooth, straight, stringless pods 6 to 6½ in. long. A vigorous producer under adverse conditions. Strong, upright plants highly tolerant to common bean mosaic and other diseases. Excellent for market or home gardeners, canning and freezing.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$4.00

## 23 Giant Stringless

51 days. Medium-green pods 6 to 6½ in. long; meaty, round, slim, slightly curved, brittle and entirely stringless. The plants are of strong growth, compact, and bear a heavy crop of pods for a long time. Widely planted by the home and market gardener; valuable for freezing and canning. Seeds are a light brown color.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 27 Tendergreen — Delicious

52 days. Extremely meaty, smooth, dark green, round, tender pods, 6 to 7 in. long, straight to slightly curved; absolutely stringless at all stages of growth and always free from fiber. Pods mature early and are borne profusely for a long time. Wonderful for home and market; ideal for canning, freezing and shipping. Each year has seen the use of Tendergreen on the increase and with good reason—pods are long, plump, with excellent color and wonderful flavor. Dependable.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$2.85

## 20 Ranger—White-seeded

56 days. Round, straight, stringless, smooth, tender, silvery green pods, 5 in. long are freely produced and largely concentrated in the crown of the plant, thus making for quick and easy picking. Plants are vigorous, produce short runners, and are resistant to common mosaic, downy mildew and some forms of anthracnose. Dried seeds are white; excellent for winter use. *Seed crop is short. Can supply pkts. only.*

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 5 pkts. \$1.00

## 17 Florida Belle—Nearly round

50 days. Pods grow 6 to 7 in. long, straight, slightly oval in cross-section, attractive light green in color, brittle, stringless and of good quality. Plants are large, 16 to 24 in. tall, highly productive, resistant to heat, drought and to some forms of bean rust and mildew. Especially suited to heavy soils and muck. Rapidly becoming one of the leading snap bean varieties grown in Florida for long-distance shipping. Seeds are buff, splashed purple. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

*Many of today's finest vegetables  
were first introduced by Burpee.*

### 3 of the Best Stringless Green-Pod Bush Beans

Burpee's Stringless, Tendergreen and Bountiful

7039—3 Pkts., 1 pkt. each of the three varieties, value 35¢ for only 30¢

7041—1½ Lbs., ½ lb. each of the three varieties, value \$1.10 for only 95¢

7042—3 Lbs., 1 lb. each of the three varieties, value \$1.90 for only \$1.65

*Tendergreen  
Bush Bean*



# Stringless Yellow-Pod BUSH BEANS

The delicate, distinctive flavor and tenderness of the appetizing waxy yellow pods make them a favorite in market or home gardens. As with green-pods, you have your choice of varieties with either round or flat pods. Planting information given for Bush Snap Beans on page 58 applies to yellow and green pods alike. Bushes range in height from 12 to 20 in., are robust growers producing an abundance of pods over a long period.

## 49 Surecrop Stringless Wax ☉

52 days. Also known as **Yellow Bountiful**. The handsome, rich golden yellow pods are straight to very slightly curved, 6 to 6½ in. in length, ½ in. wide and thick-flat. Tender, meaty, brittle and sweet. Perfectly stringless at all stages. Black-seeded. The plant is branching, sturdy and upright, every branch carrying a heavy crop of attractive, uniformly colored, large pods which can be quickly picked. Valuable for its productiveness both for the home and market gardener; its size and appearance make it a ready seller in stores or on roadside stands.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 41 Rustproof Golden Wax (TOP NOTCH STRAIN)

50 days. The straight, golden yellow pods are broad, flat-oval, 5 to 5½ in. long, stringless, brittle, and of good quality. Profuse bearer. Especially suitable for the home garden or early market. Plants grow compactly and erect. Other features are that it reaches the peak of its season very quickly and is almost totally resistant to bean rust. The dried seeds are oval-shaped, shiny white, with reddish brown markings around the eye.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 33 Burpee's Brittle Wax ☉—Outstanding variety

52 days. Clear, waxy yellow pods, 6 to 6½ in. in length; round, slightly curved, smooth, entirely stringless and fiberless at all stages of growth. Flesh is tender, extremely brittle, succulent and of the finest flavor. The kidney-shaped seed is pure white, with irregular black markings around the eye. Plants are of medium size, erect, leafy, and very productive. Its many good features make it the most widely planted of all wax-podded beans. Because of its superior quality it is prized for home, market, freezing and canning.

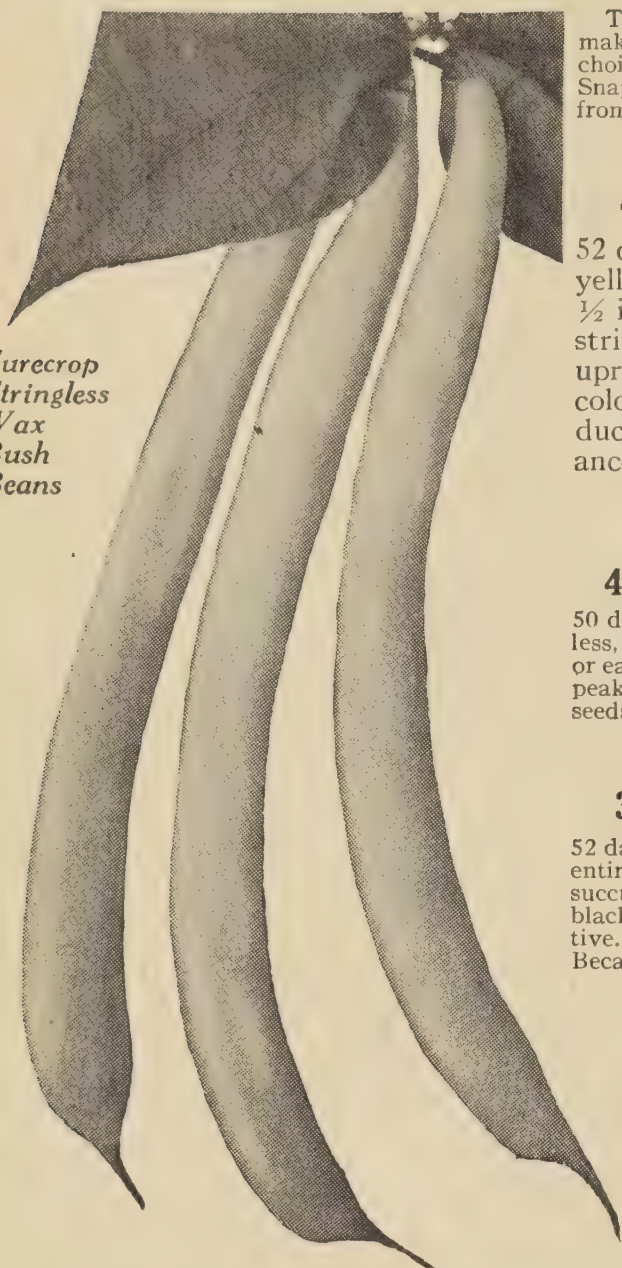
Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 43 Puregold—All-America Bronze Medal Winner

58 days. Beautiful golden yellow, round pods, 5½ to 6 in. long, slender, stringless, fiberless, tender and brittle. Resistant to common bean mosaic. Highly desirable for all purposes. Remarkable for its clean, richly colored pods, heavy cropping, uniformity in type and season of bearing. Seeds are white, light brown around eye.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Surecrop  
Stringless  
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## 44 Burpee's Kidney Wax—Tasty

52 days. Pods are almost straight, broad, yet quite thick, meaty, and entirely stringless at all stages of growth; 6 in. long, ½ in. broad, ¾ in. thick, and of a bright lemon-yellow, reflecting their tenderness and delicate flavor. Meatiness, fine flavor, brittleness, attractive clean color, and freedom from strings are had in the pods; plants are noted for their great prolificness, strong, upright growth, 18 to 20 in. in height. Seeds are pearly white with a small brownish black eye. Burpee's Kidney Wax is a popular oval podded variety that does especially well in warm climates. Used by canners, freezers, market and home gardeners. Seed supply is not too plentiful, so please order early.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 48 Pencil-Pod Wax—Round as a pencil

54 days. Rich yellow, deeply curved, perfectly round pods, 5 to 6 in. long; always stringless, tender, brittle, fleshy, without fiber and of excellent quality. Ripe seeds are jet-black. Bears profusely over a long period. Pods are as round as a pencil, thick and meaty, with a wonderful flavor and tenderness that is most pronounced. Pods, being handsome in appearance and of finest quality, are extremely valuable for home, market, freezing and canning.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

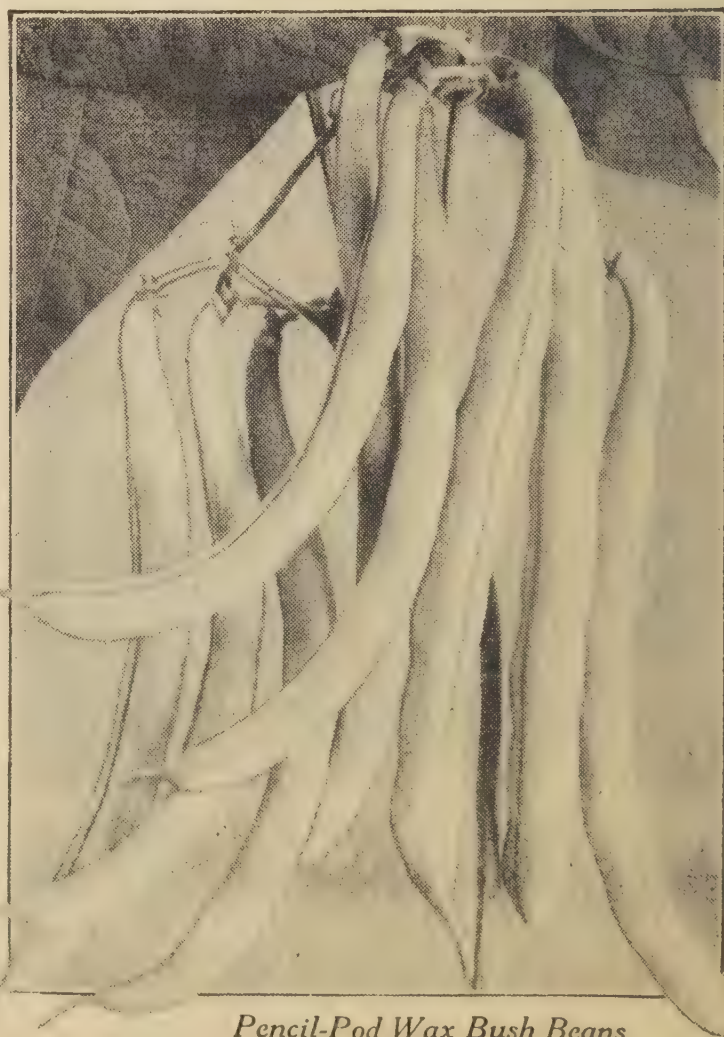
### 3 Popular Stringless Yellow- or Wax-Pod Bush Beans

Pencil-Pod Wax, Rustproof Golden Wax  
and Surecrop Stringless Wax

7031—3 Pkts., 1 pkt. of each, value 40¢ for only 30¢

7033—1½ Lbs., ½ lb. of each, value \$1.15 for \$1.00

7034—3 Lbs., 1 lb. of each, value \$2.05 for only \$1.80



Pencil-Pod Wax Bush Beans



# Burpee's POLE BEANS

Pole beans come into bearing later than bush beans, yield more heavily over a longer period and some produce bigger pods. Support must be given the vines which grow 5 to 8 ft. and more high. Young pods make delicious snap-shorts; also popular as green or dried shell beans. To many persons, pole beans have that good bean flavor that is lacking in some varieties of the bush type. The most popular and dependable varieties are Kentucky Wonder, McCaslan (green-pods) and Kentucky Wonder Wax (yellow-pod). Horticultural is grown largely as a shell bean.

## 72 Kentucky Wonder ☉ — Brown seeded

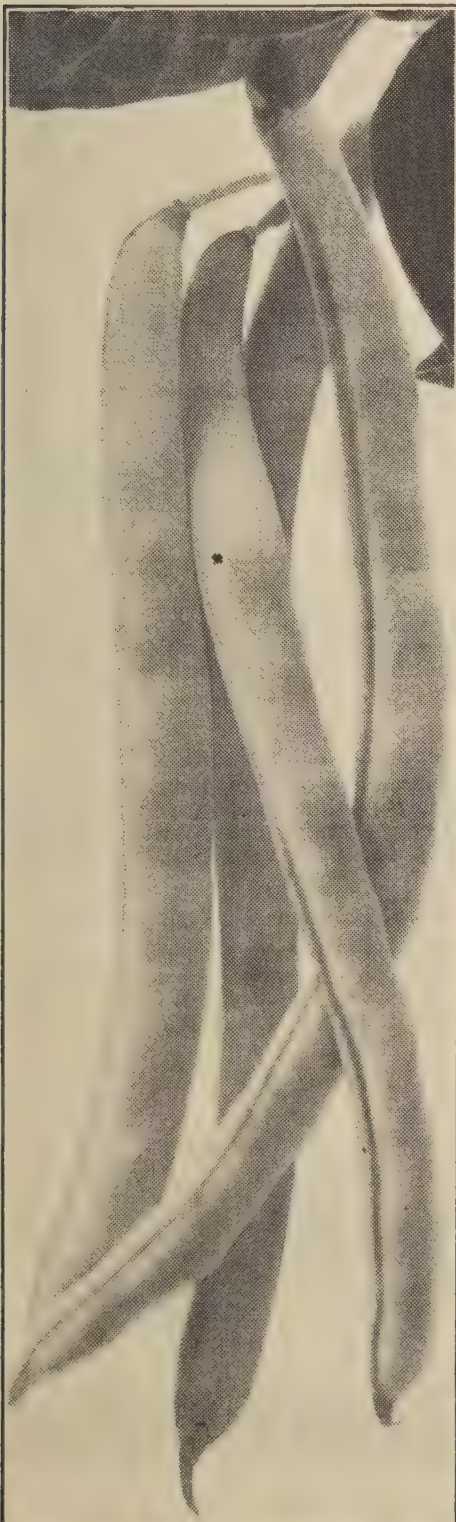
65 days. Most popular and dependable throughout the country. It is early, climbs well, and bears a heavy crop of large, green, curved pods, 7 to 9 in. long, in clusters. They are round, thick, meaty, tender, brittle, excellent for freezing, and are stringless when young, but develop moderate strings later as the pod matures. Though thick, the pods appear slender on account of their length. The light brown seeds have a distinctive, tasty flavor which makes them so highly desirable for use as shell beans. A profitable market bean in many sections.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 82 Kentucky Wonder, Rust resistant — White seeded

63 days. Flat-oval, dark green pods, 6 to 7 in. long; stringless when young. Very good quality. Resistant to certain forms of rust. White seeds are delicious for dry shell use. Heavy yielder.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢; 2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$3.00



Kentucky Wonder Wax  
Pole Beans

## 80 Kentucky Wonder Wax ☉ 68 days.

Slightly curved, flat-oval, light yellow pods, 7 to 8 in. long, brittle, meaty, practically free from strings and fiber. Choice quality and good flavor if used when young.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60

## 79 Golden Cluster Wax 74 days. Light

waxy yellow, tender, almost straight, flat pods, 6½ to 7½ in. long; flesh is brittle and of fine quality. Stringless when pods are young. Popular for snaps, green shell and dry beans. The dried seeds are oval-flat and white.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60

## 83 Horticultural (Cranberry, Wren's Egg)

70 days. Flat-oval, broad, green pods, 5 to 6 in. long, which make delicious snap-shorts when young. Recommended chiefly as a green or dry shell bean of good flavor; fine for baking.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 75 Lazy Wife 80 days. (White Cranberry)

Broad, flat, green pods, 5 to 6 in. long; straight, meaty, brittle and stringless. Fine for snaps when young; green shelled or dry beans are delicious. White seeded; round. Vines are prolific; pods produced in clusters thus making picking easy.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 78 McCaslan ☉ 63 days. Dark green, flat

pods, 7 to 8 in. long; curved, brittle and fine grained. Popular for snaps, green or dry shell beans. Show slight strings when they reach full size; stringless and of good quality when young. Dried seeds are white and flattened.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢; 2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$3.00

## 87 Scarlet Runner 65 days. Bears large, showy sprays of bright scarlet flowers so

it is often grown for ornamental purposes, as well as for eating. Pods 6 to 6½ in. long, broad and thick; they and the green shell beans are edible and of good flavor, tender and tasty if used when young. Succeeds best in cool regions and seasons.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60

## 91 Yard Long 80 days. Although known as Yard Long, the green pods grow but 12 to

20 in. in length varying according to conditions; they are slender, elongated, nearly round, curved and twisted with light string. Of fair quality when young.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25



Kentucky Wonder Pole Beans

### How to Grow Pole Beans

Pole Beans should not be planted until all danger of frost is past and the soil is warm and moderately dry. They do best if the vines are given support, the most frequently used being rough poles, spaced 3 to 4 ft. apart each way. Place 5 or 6 beans around each pole, cover with 2 in. of soil, and firm to assist germination. When plants are well started, thin so that 3 or 4 of the strongest remain to a pole. A packet of seed is enough for 15 poles; 1 lb. of seed for 100 poles, except Scarlet Runner, a pkt. of which is enough for 8 poles; 1 lb. for 60 poles. Pole Beans may also be planted 3 to 5 in. apart along a trellis or fence; sowing 300 ft. of row with 1 lb. of seed.



# Bush LIMA BEANS

Easier grown than pole limas as plants do not need support. There are varied sizes and shapes of beans to meet your preference, whether it be the large thick (Burpee's Fordhook) or small thick "potato" type (Baby Fordhook), the large flat (Burpee's Improved) or the small flat baby butter lima (Thorogreen). Some prefer one type for eating fresh, another as dry beans or quick freezing. We list the best varieties for the different purposes. For eating fresh, pick pods as soon as the beans have reached edible size.

## 65 Burpee's Fordhook © — *Most popular bush lima*

75 days. The leading variety of bush lima beans for home garden, freezing or commercial use. Pods are 4 to 4 1/4 in. long, 1 to 1 1/8 in. wide, and 3/4 in. thick, dark green, straight to slightly curved, crowded with 3 or 4 large, thick beans whose dry, mealy quality and delicious flavor, not unlike chestnuts, are familiar to everyone who uses lima beans. Seeds hold their green color until quite old; cream colored when ripe.

Plants are bushy, upright, with large leaves of heavy texture, 20 in. or more in height, with a spread of 2 ft. or more, very vigorous, with many pod-bearing lateral branches, so that from a planting picking may be done for a month or more.

Fine quality, large pods, and always salable, attractive appearance, made Fordhook the universally known large "potato" type bush lima bean for all purposes. Introduced by Burpee and named for Burpee's famous Fordhook Farms. Buy from the originator.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

## 61 Baby Fordhook

70 days. Thick-seeded or "potato" type small lima bean considered by many to be of better quality than the flat type. It was designed especially for canning and freezing; home gardeners, too, will appreciate its surprisingly heavy crop of pods. Plant is truly bush, about 14 in. tall. Pods are 2 3/4 in. long and 3/4 in. wide, thick, slightly curved, containing 3 or 4 beans, close but not crowded. Seed is green turning cream when dry.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$2.85

## 51 Early Market

72 days. The earliest large-podded bush lima. Pods 4 to 5 in. long, with 3 or 4 large, flat green beans of excellent quality, either fresh, canned or frozen. It is very prolific, desirable in the home garden and especially valuable to market gardeners where an early, large-podded bush lima is desired. Developed by Dr. Roy Magruder and Dr. Robert Wester, U.S.D.A. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 63 Burpee's Improved Bush Lima ©

75 days. Pods are produced in clusters of 5 or 6; they grow 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 in. long, 1 to 1 1/4 in. broad, slightly curved and moderately thick, containing 4 or 5 very large, flat-oval beans of the highest quality. Easy to shell. Good for home or market garden as well as for freezing. Popular where a bush lima with a flatter bean than Fordhook is desired. Vigorous, prolific, erect growing plants with pods as large as those of many pole limas.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 60 Burpee's Bush Lima

*The original large seeded bush lima*

78 days. An immense yielder. Pods 4 1/2 to 5 in. long, 1 to 1 1/4 in. wide and contain 3 or 4 large, broad, flat beans of excellent quality. Suitable for freezing. Plants robust and highly productive.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 71 Thorogreen — *Retains its green color*

68 days. The dwarf, bushy plants set a prolific crop of flat pods containing 3 or 4 flattish, oval shaped, dark green beans. At maturity the seeds retain a pale green color which is a distinct advantage for canning and freezing, eating fresh or as dry beans.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

## 67 Henderson Bush — *Small seeded*

65 days. An old stand-by variety of baby lima. Pods are flat, straight to slightly curved, 2 3/4 in. long, 3/4 in. wide, with 3 or 4 flattish, green, small oval beans turning creamy white when dry.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 68 Wood's Prolific — *Buttery flavor*

68 days. Especially desirable where growing seasons are short. Pods are small, 3 to 3 1/2 in. long, 7/8 to 1 in. wide, each containing 3 or 4 flat beans of sweet, buttery lima flavor; desirable for freezing.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

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## How to Grow Bush Lima Beans

Bush Lima Beans succeed well in almost any good garden soil but do best in a rich, well-drained, sandy loam. As seed is sensitive to cold and wet ground, it must not be planted until the soil has become quite warm and fairly dry. Plant the seeds edgewise, eye down, 4 in. apart in rows 2 1/2 to 3 ft. apart, and cover with 2 in. of fine soil. When the plants are well started, thin to stand 12 in. apart for large-seeded varieties and 8 to 12 in. for small-seeded varieties. Give frequent and shallow cultivation until blossoms appear, but do not cultivate or handle plants when they are wet. A pkt. of large-seeded varieties will sow 15 ft. of row; one lb. 100 ft.; the small-seeded kinds will, of course, go much farther.

*Burpee's  
Fordhook  
Bush Lima Bean*

## 53 Fordhook 242 — *Special selection*

75 days. Begins to bear about the same time as Burpee's Fordhook. The plants set well under adverse conditions due to resistance to high temperature conditions, so that, in some sections, it is a heavier yielder. Pods grow 3 to 4 in. long, with 3 or 4 thick, green beans, the eating quality of which is excellent either fresh, canned or frozen. For home and market. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

## 52 Peerless — *Holds its green color*

69 days. Pods 3 1/4 in. long, averaging 3 green beans each, about two-thirds the size of Fordhook but of the same shape and relative thickness. Yields well under a wide range of conditions. Especially valuable for canning and freezing. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$4.75

## 70 Triumph — *Thrifty and productive*

75 days. A heavier bearing baby lima of the Henderson type; beans are more tender and better in flavor. Pods are straight, 2 1/2 to 3 in. long, with 3 or 4 small light green, oval beans. Plant is shorter, more compact and more robust than Henderson, which probably accounts for its prolific bearing. Good for all purposes, especially canning and freezing. Excellent quality. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25



# Pole LIMA BEANS

Pole Lima Beans mature somewhat later than bush limas and must be given support on which the vines may climb. The yield per sq. ft. of garden space is larger than that for bush limas. Some persons prefer the flavor of pole lima beans to the bush varieties, some like the thick-seeded or "potato" type (Burpee's Best), others the flat-seeded (Burpee's Giant Podded), some choose the large seeded, others the small; all are good—it's a matter of individual choice and for what purpose intended—to be eaten green, dried, canned or quickly frozen.

## 105 Burpee's Best ☉

92 days. A pole bean with all the good characteristics of Fordhook Bush—thick seed, rich tenderness, larger pods with three or four times as many on each of the vigorous plants which are strong growing climbers attaining 10 to 12 ft. under average conditions. They produce pods in clusters of 4 to 8 along their entire height. Pods are straight, 4 to 4¾ in. long, 1¼ in. broad, and ½ to ¾ in. through, well filled with 4 or 5 big, plump, "potato" type beans that are exceptionally tender and have the distinctive, pleasing nutty flavor of the bush Fordhook. More easily shelled than other limas of the "potato" type. Burpee's Best is excellent for freezing and has remarkable long-distance shipping qualities.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; 1 lb. 80¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 106 Burpee's Giant Podded ☉

90 days. The largest podded and largest beans of all pole limas. Pods are truly enormous, 6½ to 7 in. long, 1¼ to 1½ in. wide, with 5 and sometimes 6 extra large, oval-flat, green beans of the most delicious flavor; excellent for freezing. Vines are vigorous growing; attain a height of 10 ft. and freely produce their pods in clusters of 4 to 8 from the bottom to the top of the poles. Pickings may be made continuously from midsummer until vines are killed by frost. We can recommend it highly for home gardens; also readily salable on local markets and roadside stands because of the immense size of pods and beans.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; 1 lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 103 Carolina or Sieva—"Butter Bean"

78 days. Pods grow 3 to 3½ in. long, and contain 3 or 4 small, flat, smooth beans of splendid quality. Quick to bear, so are especially valuable in sections with short summers, where large-seeded varieties are too late to produce well, and in localities with hot, dry summers where pods often fail to set.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 102 Florida Speckled Butter

78 days. Vigorous plants; pods medium dark green, 3 to 3¼ in. long, each with 3 and occasionally 4 small, flat, white beans with approximately one-third of the surface marked deep purple. If picked when young, the markings on the seed will not yet have been developed. Prolific over a long bearing season. Stands up well under hot and dry weather conditions; popular in the South.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

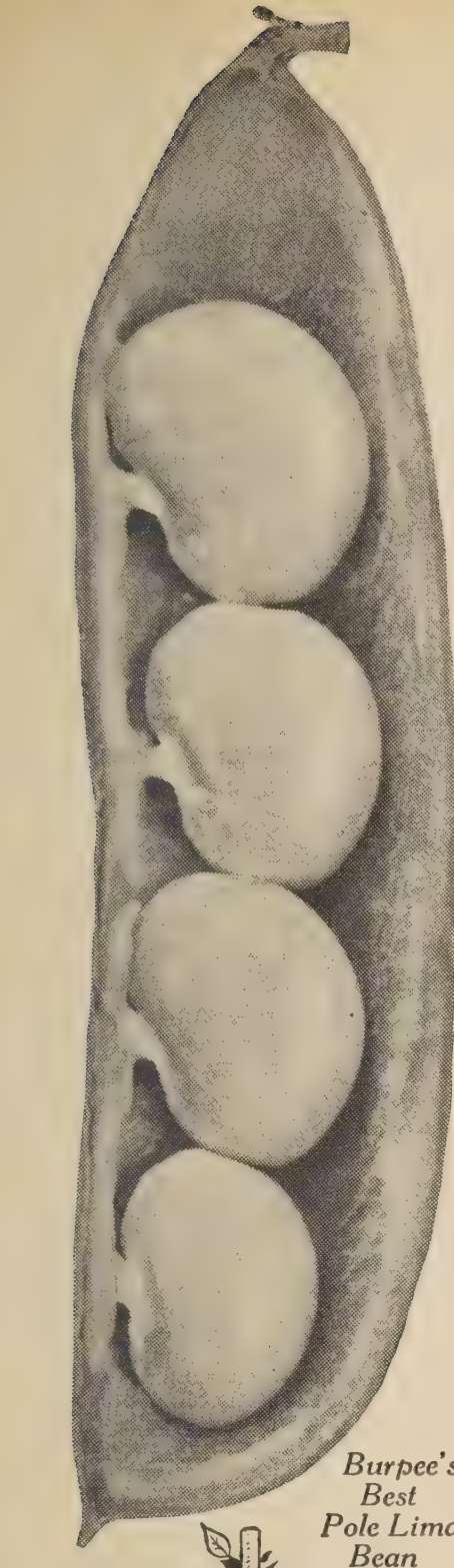
## 99 King of the Garden—Popular

88 days. Pods are from 5 to 6 in. long and contain 5 and often 6 large, flat beans which are easily shelled, of handsome appearance and excellent quality. They are borne most profusely until frost has killed the vines. One of the leading pole limas for freezing, home and market. Plants are tall; good climbers.

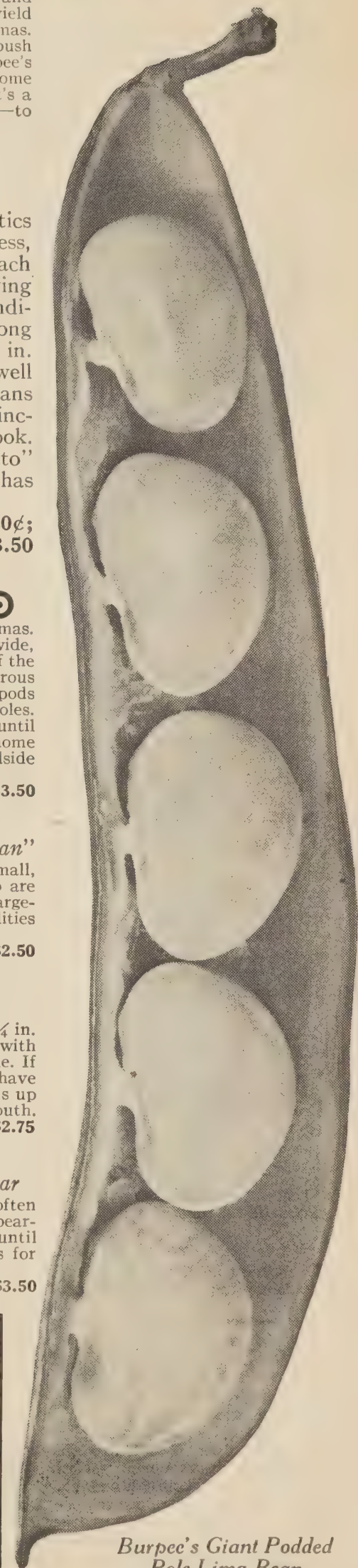
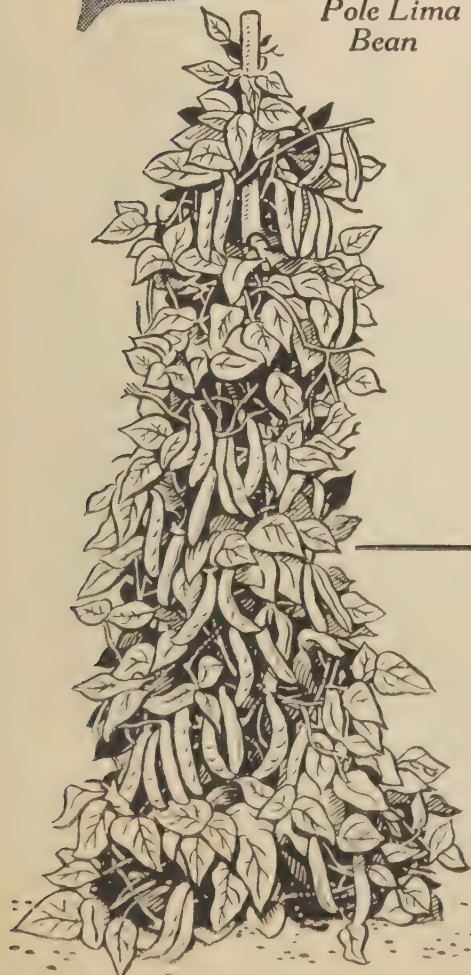
Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; 1 lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## How to Grow Pole Lima Beans

Pole Lima Beans are easily grown in any rich, well-drained garden soil. Should be given support, the most frequently used being rough poles, spaced 3 to 4 ft. apart each way. Sow seeds when soil has become warm; put 6 to 8 seeds (preferably with the eyes down) around each pole, cover with 2 in. of fine soil, and firm to assist germination. When plants are well started, thin so that 3 or 4 of the strongest remain to a pole. A pkt. will plant 10 poles; 1 lb. for 50 poles. Small plantings may be made along a fence or trellis, putting several beans 1 ft. apart, later thinning to one strong plant; such plantings would require 1 lb. of seed to about 50 ft. of row; a pkt. will plant about 10 ft.



Burpee's  
Best  
Pole Lima  
Bean



Burpee's Giant Podded  
Pole Lima Bean



# Burpee's RED BEETS

Beets are easily grown and are delicious as baby beets when roots are half grown, or they may be used from then on until they reach their full size. Tops are highly palatable when cooked as "greens" or young beets with their tops may be cooked together.

Burpee's Red Ball, Detroit Dark Red and Crosby's Egyptian are universally popular. Spinach Beet (Swiss Chard) is grown extensively for the use of its tops as "greens" and its mid-ribs or leaf-stalks as asparagus; we offer the best varieties on page 102.



*Burpee's  
Red Ball*

## 121 Burpee's Red Ball ☉

60 days. Remarkable for its uniform shape, deep colored flesh, and sweet flavor. The roots are globe-shaped, growing to 3 in. in diameter, with smooth, deep red skin and medium-small tap root. Flesh is tasty, extremely dark red, free from woody fiber, and under good growing conditions, is practically free from lighter colored zones. Quality is always the finest. Its intense dark red color especially fits it for table use. For a market where dark red colored flesh is a primary requirement, for canning, freezing or any commercial use, Red Ball is highly recommended. Medium tall red and green foliage.

Pkt. 15¢;  
oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10;  
½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

## 128 Burpee's Improved Blood Turnip Beet

59 days. The large beets, 3 to 4 in. across, are round but sometimes deeper than their diameter. Flesh is dark red, occasionally zoned, fine grained, tender and most agreeably sweet. Though it is a quick grower, the roots will keep a long time in storage. Splendid for the home garden and for market gardeners. It may be grown for early use, summer, fall or winter storing as well as for canning. Because of its quickness of growth, it is especially suited for late sowings. It is really an all-season, all-purpose, dependable deep red table beet of the highest quality.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

## 115a Detroit Dark Red, Short Top ☉

60 days. One of the best round beets for main-crop and fall use whether for table, canning or freezing. Tops average about 3 in. shorter than those of the regular strain, making it suitable for growing on muck or for any use where large tops are not necessary or desirable. Roots are also slightly smaller and more globular. Skin is dark red; flesh is uniform deep red with the zones so inconspicuous that the flesh, when cooked, seems to be one solid ball of deep blood-red; always sweet and tender. Smaller tops allow beets to stand closer together in the row.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

## 115 Detroit Dark Red, Medium Top

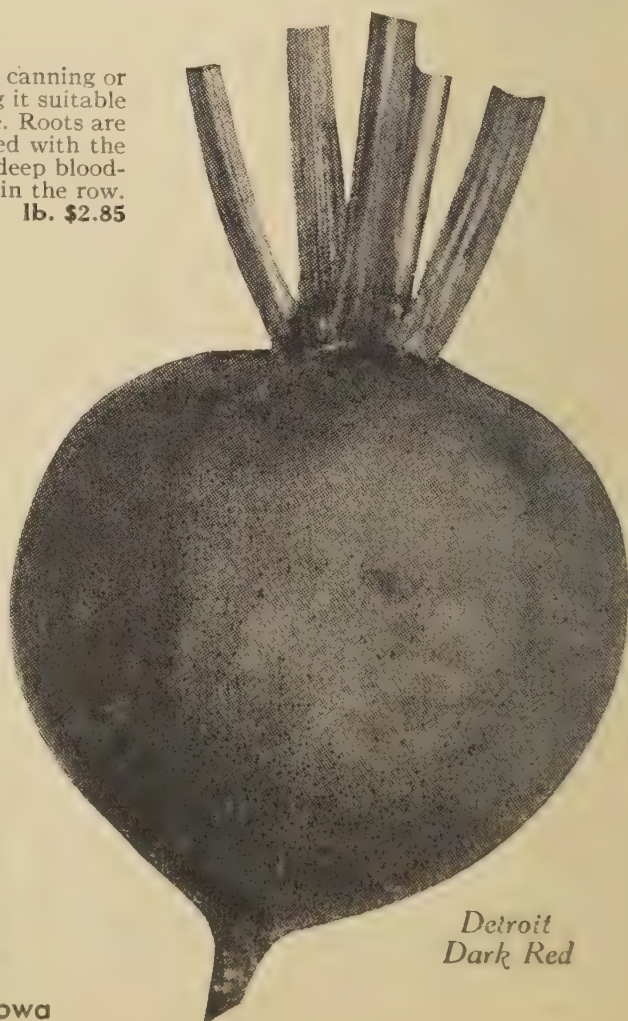
59 days. Beets are perfectly round with deep red skin. They reach 2½ to 3 in. in size and have a small collar and a thin tap-root. The flesh is very dark blood-red, showing hardly any zones. It is tender, fine grained, exceptionally sweet. Medium size foliage makes it popular with housewives wanting plenty of "tops" for use as "greens." Roots are slightly larger than the short top strain offered above. Splendid for the home garden, market, shipping, freezing and canning.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢; ½ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50

**It is easy to order Burpee Seeds by mail.** If you live in the East, send to Philadelphia; if in the Central and Western States, send to Clinton, Iowa.

### How to Grow Beets

Sow seeds as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. For a continuous supply make additional sowings when the preceding planting is up and growing; allow plenty of time for the last sowing to mature before frost. Space rows 1½ to 2 ft. apart and cover seed with ½ in. of fine soil. A rich, sandy loam, mellow and deep, produces the best shaped and smoothest roots. Thin plants to stand 2 to 3 in. apart in the row. The later sowings will produce the best beets for winter storing. Dig the roots with the approach of cold weather and keep in a cool cellar, packing them in slightly moist earth until ready to use throughout the winter months. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; one oz. 100 ft.



*Detroit  
Dark Red*



## 111 Crosby's Egyptian Beet

56 days. An excellent early beet for the table or market; suitable for freezing. Roots are top to semi-globe shaped and about 3 in. in diameter with medium size tops and slender tap-roots. The skin is smooth, medium dark red and the flesh purplish red, with lighter colored zones; has a sweet flavor when cooked.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢; ½ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50

## 107 Burpee's Extra Early

58 days. Wonderful early beet with perfectly smooth globe-shaped roots growing to 3 in. in diameter, but, as with all beets, can be used when small. The flesh is dark red and shows hardly any zones. Popular with home and market gardeners. Flavor is sweet and tasty; much esteemed for canning or pickling whole.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.75

### 3 of the Best Table Beets

Burpee's Red Ball, Crosby's Egyptian and Extra Early Flat Egyptian

7035—3 Pkts., one of each variety, value 35¢ for only **25¢**

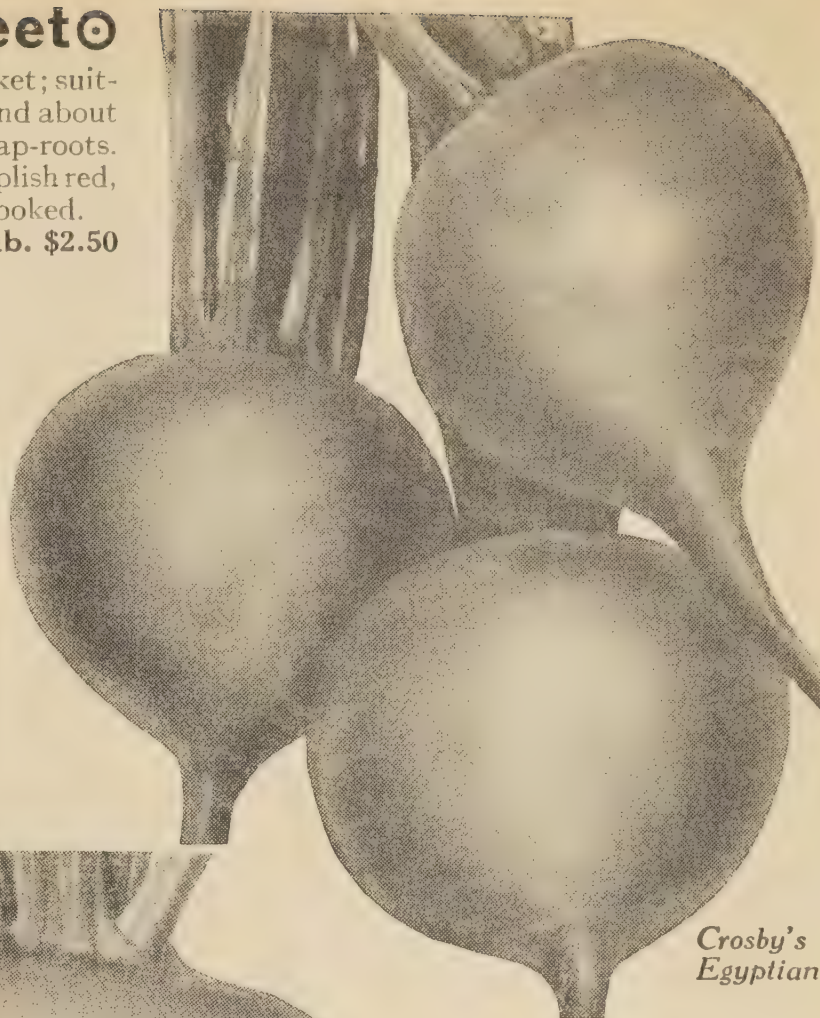
7036—3 Ozs., one oz. of each variety, value \$1.00 for only **85¢**

## 109 Extra Early Flat Egyptian

53 days. Roots are distinctly flattened and have small tops; flesh is sweet and tender, dark purplish red zoned with a trifle lighter color. Skin is medium red. The earliest of all beets; fine for home garden and early market. Fully grown beets measure 3 in. across; retain their red color when cooked. Easily harvested as roots grow well above ground. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢; ½ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50



Lutz Green Leaf  
Excellent  
Winter Keepers



Crosby's  
Egyptian

## 125 Early Wonder

55 days. Semi-globe shaped, about 3 in. across, with medium size tops and a thin tap-root. Dark red skin and deep red flesh with slightly lighter zones. Gardeners like this very early beet; its smooth skin and uniform shape commend it to everyone; its evenness of maturity recommends it for market. Popular for canning whole or sliced as well as for pickling; flesh is particularly tender and sweet, the rich red color being held when cooked. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢; ½ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$2.50

Extra Early  
Flat Egyptian

## 127 Lutz Green Leaf — Very sweet

80 days. Roots are half-long, top-shaped, dark purplish red with dark red flesh and indistinct zones. Tops are glossy green with pink mid-rib. Whether used when small or allowed to grow large, they are tender, very sweet and will remain so all summer as well as when stored for use during the winter. Popular for produce markets in some sections selling direct to consumer.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

## Mangels and Sugar Beets

Used largely for winter feeding of cattle, sheep and poultry. Sow seed in early spring in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart; cover with ½ in. of soil. A packet will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft.

**151 Mammoth Prize Long Red** 110 days. Largest and heaviest cropping mangel. Roots grow to a truly enormous size; 18 to 24 in. long, 5 to 6 in. across. Skin is red, flesh white veined pink. Grow ½ to ¾ above ground so they are easy to harvest. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 20¢; ¼ lb. 50¢; ½ lb. 90¢; lb. \$1.65

**145 Giant Half Sugar Rose** 90 days. Broad, wedge-shaped mangel. Skin is bright rose above and white below; flesh is white. Highly nutritious and rich in sugar. Grows ½ above ground. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.10; lb. \$2.00

**143 Klein Wanzleben** 90 days. A heavy yielding sugar beet. Large, smooth, gray-white, wedge-shaped roots rich in sugar content. Roots grow entirely below the surface and are smaller than mangels. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.10; lb. \$2.00



# Burpee's Earliest CABBAGE

Cabbage is easily grown and may be eaten raw as cole slaw or cooked in different ways. While the smooth leaved varieties are the most popular, some prefer the green savoy crumpled leaved (Perfection Drumhead); others, the deep purplish-red (Mammoth Red Rock); some the round heads (Copenhagen Market); others, the

pointed (Early Jersey Wakefield) or flat (Premium Flat Dutch). We have the best kinds to meet your choice. Some of the mid-season and late varieties make excellent kraut; all the late varieties are desirable for fall use and winter storing. Chinese Cabbage may be served like lettuce, cole slaw or cooked like regular cabbage.



*Burpee's  
Copenhagen Market*

## 192 Burpee's Copenhagen Market ☉

72 days. An outstanding strain of the variety which is notable for its uniformity from year to year as well as in a single year's planting. This uniformity makes it valuable to home gardeners and to market growers who supply a critical trade. Extreme earliness is another quality of this cabbage which has found favor with our customers all over the world. Produces well-rounded, solid heads of excellent quality, 6½ in. in diameter and 6 in. deep, weighing from 4 to 4½ lbs. Plants are small and quite compact with few outer leaves, which permits close planting. Heavy yield, convenient size, attractive shape, solidity and fine quality combine to make Copenhagen Market the popular early cabbage it is today. The flavor is remarkably fine so that it is also desirable for early kraut making. Reliable and uniform. First introduced in America by Burpee.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 169 Charleston or Large Wakefield

71 days. Larger than Early Jersey Wakefield, not so pointed and ready about six days later. The broad, heart-shaped heads are 8½ in. high and 6½ in. across at the base; weigh 3½ to 4½ lbs. each. Very desirable for the home or truck garden; it is a sure cropper and a heavy yielder. Popular in the South for winter shipping to northern markets for which purpose it is extensively used. Outer leaves are dark green; interior loosely folded, tinged greenish, of excellent quality. A good succession variety to Golden Acre or Early Jersey Wakefield.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.80

## 191 Early Jersey Wakefield (Yellows-Resistant)

63 days. The heads are of conical form, 7 in. deep, pointed at top with a broad base 5 in. across. About the first of this group of resistant cabbages to mature. Fine for cole slaw, salads and for boiling. Recommended in place of Early Jersey Wakefield only on soils infested with "yellows." If you have any cabbage-yellows infection in your soil and want an early, pointed headed, compact growing cabbage, plant this and not the regular one.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 175 Golden Acre ☉—Round heads

63 days. Has all the wonderful characteristics of our Copenhagen Market, but the heads are a trifle smaller and mature 9 days earlier. They are very uniform, solid, round, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 3½ to 4 lbs. each—a most satisfactory size for the average family; in quality, they cannot be surpassed. Plants are small and compact, which permits close planting. So sure heading are the plants that practically every one produces a perfect head. A valuable extra-early cabbage for the home garden and a profitable one for truckers to plant for early market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 181 Golden Acre—Extra early (Yellows-Resistant)

64 days. The earliest of the round-headed yellows-resistant cabbages. Heads are medium size, 5½ in. deep, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 4 to 5 lbs. each. Plants are short-stemmed, erect, with few outer leaves. A remarkably uniform and refined strain of exceptional quality and fair keeping ability. For home or market on "yellows"-infested land as it is highly resistant to cabbage-yellows disease.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

## 172 Improved Allhead Select (Yellows-Resistant)

72 days. Firm, solid, well-rounded, flattened heads 8 to 9 in. across and 6 to 6½ in. deep. The core is decidedly small. It is the earliest of the yellows-resistant large flat-headed cabbages. Stands long without bursting.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

## 170 Marion Market ☉ (Yellows-Resistant)

75 days. Resembles Copenhagen Market but makes a larger plant. Heads are almost round, solid, 6½ to 7 in. deep, 8 in. across and weighing 5½ to 7 lbs. each. Favorite early variety for market or home use on "yellows"-infested land. Leaves are blue-green. Very dependable.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 167 Early Jersey Wakefield ☉

65 days. Uniform heads of conical form, 7 in. deep, pointed at the top and having a broad base, 5 in. across. The entire plant makes a compact growth with few outer leaves, which permits close planting in the row. Heads weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each, are tightly folded, crisp and tender. Suitable for home garden and extensively used by market growers and shippers as a profitable early variety.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.80

*Early Jersey  
Wakefield*





# Midseason CABBAGE

## 187 Succession — *Deep flat heads*

88 days. Heads are large, flattened on top, and rather deep. They grow 9 in. across, 5½ to 6 in. deep, and due to their solidity will weigh 7 to 8 lbs. each. A popular short-stemmed, midseason cabbage that can always be depended upon to head up firmly even before fully grown. Keeps well in storage. A quality cabbage of remarkable uniformity; valuable for all purposes. Interior is quite compact, the top leaves very closely folded. Plants are medium-large, rather spreading; stems are short.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 188 Stein's Flat Dutch

83 days. An early and very fine variety of the large flat-headed type. Heads are 5½ to 6 in. deep, 8 to 9 in. in diameter and weigh 5½ to 6½ lbs. and sometimes more. A vigorous cabbage and a good keeper. It is suitable for home gardens, kraut, and market; gives a large tonnage and is grown commercially in the South for a winter and spring crop largely for northern shipment. Outer leaves are gray-green; interior moderately solid and of good quality.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢;  
¼ lb. \$1.65

## 176 Enkhuizen Glory

80 days. Attractive, round, solid heads, 7 to 8 in. in diameter, and weighing from 5 to 6 lbs. each. They are exceptionally firm and solid. Leaves are finely ribbed, exceedingly tender and of fine flavor. Makes excellent kraut, slaw, etc. Interior is crumpled but very compact, especially at the base and top; texture is fine and the core is slender, less than half the depth of the head. A most desirable round-headed cabbage to follow Copenhagen Market in home or market garden.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.80

## 190 Wisconsin All Seasons ☉ (Yellows-Resistant)

84 days. Bred from All Seasons and has inherited all the good qualities of that excellent cabbage. It is the hardiest of all flathead varieties and is much in demand for making kraut. Heads are hard and solid. Stands hot weather unusually well. Recommended for "yellows"-infested land as it is highly resistant to "yellows" as well as cabbage mosaic. On soils not infested with yellows, plant non-resistant All Seasons or other non-resistant varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## 189 All Seasons — *Well named*

85 days. This large, firm cabbage is well named for it is fine for summer or fall use as well as winter storage. The slightly rounded flat heads measure 8 to 10 in. across and 7 in. deep. They are solid and heavy, weighing from 5½ to 7 lbs. each. Interior is solid, top leaves closely folded; good keeper. Widely adapted; stands hot weather better than other midseason varieties. Grown in the South for northern winter shipment, the heads being harvested when 3 or 4 lbs. in weight. Popular for making kraut.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00



*Burpee's  
Allhead  
Early*

## 177 Burpee's Allhead Early ☉

80 days. The earliest of all large cabbages, forming well-rounded, flattened heads which are remarkably solid throughout. The heads measure 8 to 9 in. across, 6 to 6½ in. deep, and weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. It is equally good for summer and for winter use. Does well in a wide range of different soils and climates. Valuable for home and market. Excellent for early sauerkraut. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

### YELLOWS-RESISTANT CABBAGE

Yellows-resistant strains were introduced by the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station so that cabbages could be grown in localities where infested "cabbage-yellows" soil had prevented non-resistant varieties from producing a crop. If you live in such a locality and have had trouble, try the following highly "yellows"-resistant varieties:

191 Early Jersey Wakefield See page 66.

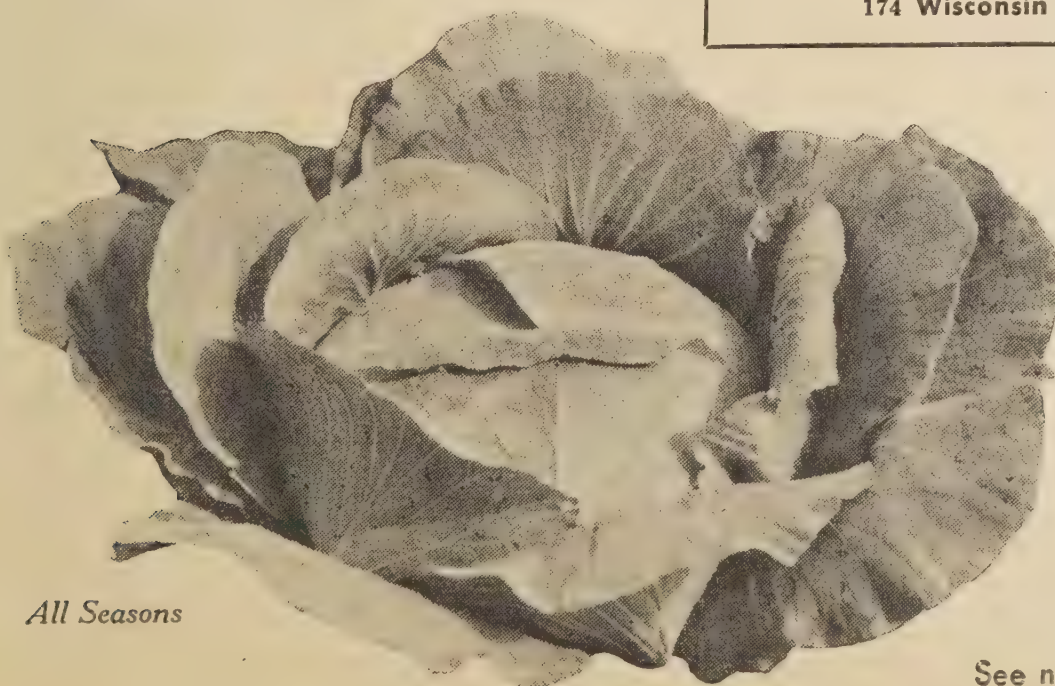
181 Golden Acre See page 66.

172 Improved Allhead Select See page 66.

170 Marion Market See page 66.

190 Wisconsin All Seasons See this page.

174 Wisconsin Hollander See page 68.



*All Seasons*

### How to Grow Cabbage

For earliest crop, start early and mid-season cabbage seed in hotbed or house; for medium early cabbage, seed may be sown in a coldframe or open-ground seed-bed in early spring. Sow late cabbage for winter use in a seed-bed outdoors when soil has become thoroughly warm. A pkt. will produce about 250 plants; an oz. about 2000 plants. Days to maturity are figured from the time the plants are set in the garden; allow 30 days to produce plants from seed. Cabbage does best in deep, rich, loamy soil and should be given plenty of water during prolonged dry spells. Space early cabbage plants 18 in. apart in rows 2½ ft. apart; the large mid-season and late varieties 2 ft. apart in rows 2½ to 3 ft. apart. Cabbage should never be planted in the same location where it, cauliflower, broccoli, or any of the cabbage family had been planted the previous year. Healthy, solid heads of late cabbage may be stored for winter use.

See next page for Late Cabbage . . 67



# Late or Winter CABBAGE

## 205 Danish Roundhead

105 days. A late fall or winter cabbage with the same good qualities as Penn State Ballhead, but is shorter stemmed and 5 days earlier. Heads are round, 7 to 8 in. across, and weigh 5 to 7 lbs. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 193 Penn State Ballhead ◎

110 days. Special strain of Danish Ballhead selected for solidity, uniformity and heavy production. Heads are almost globular, 6 to 7 in. deep, 7 to 8 in. across, extremely hard, weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. Medium stem. Excellent keeper; good shipper.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

## 174 Wisconsin Hollander (Yellows-Resistant)

120 days. Selected for resistance to "yellows" and is recommended for use only on "yellows"-infested land. Heads are large, round, flattened on top but quite deep, 7 to 8 in. across, weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each; bluish green in color. Good keeper. Heavy cropper.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

Burpee's  
Surehead

## 195 Burpee's Surehead ◎

93 days. One of the oldest cabbages listed today, Surehead still deserves its name. The special Burpee strain we offer is an improved one, uniform and very desirable where a large late cabbage with a flattened head is required. Short stem, small frame, with heads weighing 7 to 10 lbs. each, 10 to 12 in. in diameter and 6 to 7 in. deep with few outer leaves. Good, reliable keeper.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 194 Premium Flat Dutch

100 days. The largest cabbage we list—10 to 13 in. across, 5½ to 7 in. deep and weigh 10 lbs. and more. Can of course be used when much smaller. Valuable for late fall and winter use, whether for home, market or shipping. Medium stem.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢; ¼ lb. \$1.65

Perfection  
Drumhead  
Savoy



## SAVOY CABBAGE

**209 Perfection Drumhead** 90 days. Popular on account of its milder, more pleasing flavor than regular cabbage. The large round heads are somewhat flattened, 9 to 10 in. across, 7 to 8 in. deep and weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. Outer leaves are deep green, crumpled or savoyed; inner leaves lighter green, which color is retained when cooked.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

## RED CABBAGE

**196 Mammoth Red Rock** 110 days. Sure cropper and used extensively for boiling and pickling. The tight, deep purplish-red heads are round, flattened on top, solid as a rock, and often weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. Store well as they have good keeping qualities. Widely used.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

## CHINESE or CELERY CABBAGE

Not a true cabbage; resembles Cos Lettuce somewhat. May be served like lettuce, or, when shredded, makes a delicious cole slaw. Boiled, it is far more palatable than ordinary cabbage. Adapted to quick freezing. Where summers are cool, seed may be sown in early spring, otherwise sowings should be made about 3 months before your first expected frost. If sown too early, plants will "bolt" during hot weather and not form heads. Packet will sow 25 ft. of row, an oz. 200 ft.

**214 Chihli ◎** 73 days. An early, elongated heading Chinese Cabbage, growing 18 to 20 in. tall and about 3½ to 4 in. thick. The firm, well-blanching, white heads taper near the top. Leaves are very crisp and tender; broad, smooth and fringed at the edges. Extensively grown for market and roadside sales because the large, attractive heads sell readily; it is the most popular for the home garden where the longest head is wanted, raw or cooked.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

**212 Pe-Tsai** 78 days. Large Cos Lettuce-like heads 12 to 14 in. tall, the inner leaves tightly folded around the thick, pure white heart which is well blanching, tender, juicy, and has an agreeably pungent flavor either eaten raw like lettuce or cooked like cabbage. Taller growing, larger head than Wong Bok. Desirable for the home garden or market.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

**211 Wong Bok** 78 days. Short, broad, tightly folded, well-blanching heads, 8 to 10 in. high. Excellent quality, crisp and delicious; tender and juicy. Hearts are ideal for serving like lettuce, outer leaves cooked like cabbage. Good for home gardens.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

Chihli  
Chinese  
Cabbage





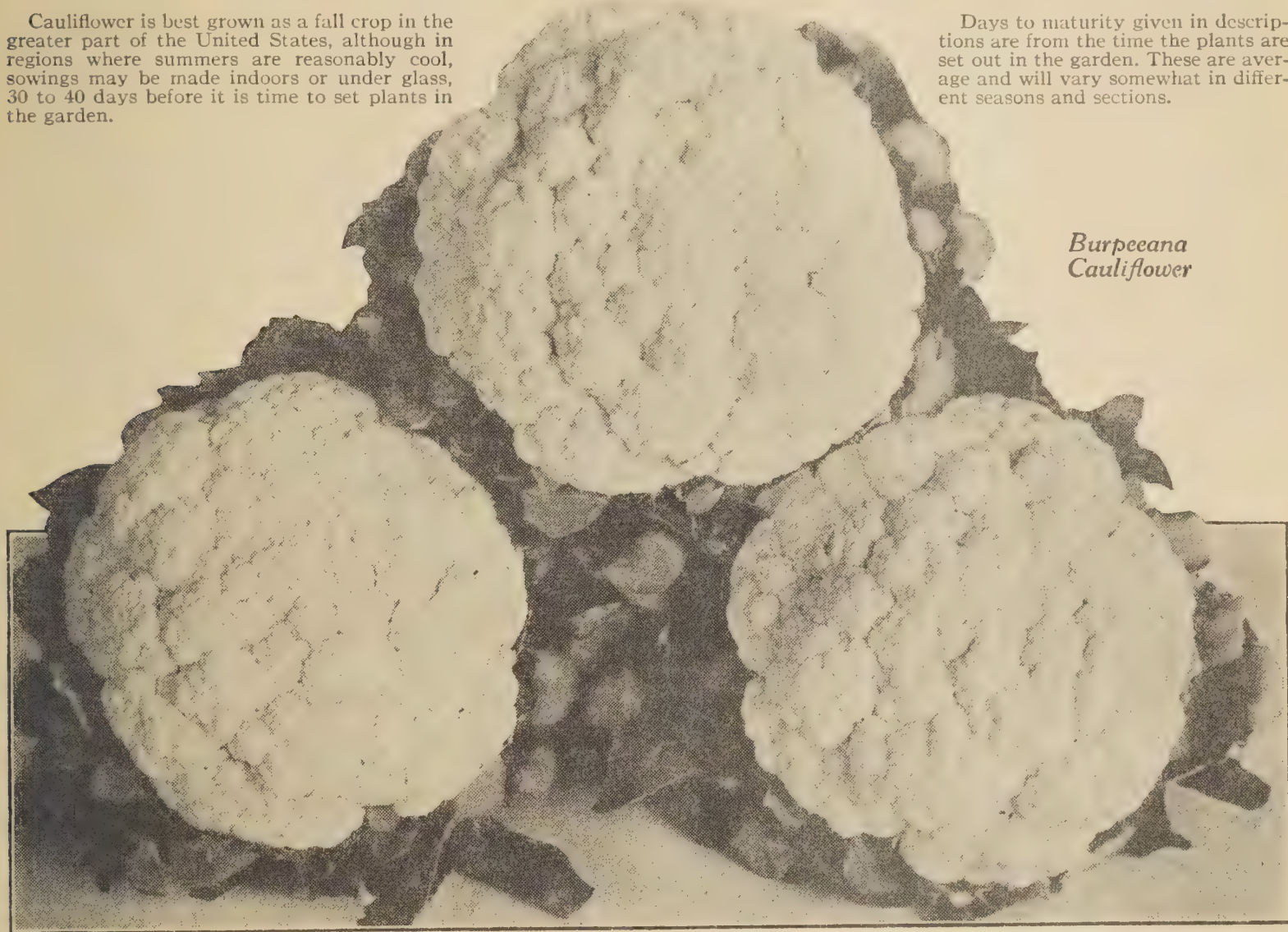
# Burpee's CAULIFLOWER

Heads should be used as soon as they fill out, otherwise they will lose in quality and break. Uncooked cauliflower is delicious, when head is broken up into small pieces, chilled, and used as a relish with mayonnaise. Cooked cauliflower is a delectable dish; nice too when

used with cucumbers, onions, peppers, etc., in mustard chow-chow. Burpee's cauliflower seed is produced under ideal climatic conditions on our Floradale Farms and is the equal of that grown anywhere in the world. We offer the best six leading varieties.

Cauliflower is best grown as a fall crop in the greater part of the United States, although in regions where summers are reasonably cool, sowings may be made indoors or under glass, 30 to 40 days before it is time to set plants in the garden.

Days to maturity given in descriptions are from the time the plants are set out in the garden. These are average and will vary somewhat in different seasons and sections.



*Burpeeana  
Cauliflower*

## 253 Burpeeana ☉ — *Very select*

78 days. Exceptionally choice extra early strain of Super Snowball as offered by Burpee. It stands out as the most valuable cauliflower for the home and market gardener; excellent for freezing. Burpeeana is dependable, with the heads forming all at one time, showing a uniformity of size, shape and type that is truly astonishing. Well-rounded, compact, pure white heads well protected by many long jacket leaves. **Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40; 1/2 oz. \$2.50; oz. \$4.50**

## 250 Improved Super Snowball

82 days. In sections where the Super Snowball type of cauliflower is preferred, or matures to best advantage, growers should try this strain. Plants are uniform and set a crop of pure white, smooth heads noted for their tight curds. Desirable for freezing. **Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.40; 1/2 oz. \$2.50; oz. \$4.50**

## 252 Improved Holland Erfurt

85 days. An especially fine strain of this important variety; very popular in leading cauliflower sections. Plants are fairly short stemmed, really uniform in maturity; heads are white, hard, compact and definitely of the true Erfurt type. Suitable for freezing. **Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25; oz. \$4.25**

## 245 Burpee's Dry Weather

95 days. Though cauliflower does best in a cool and moist season, we have in Dry Weather a variety which is actually drought-resistant and will produce heads when other varieties are a complete failure due to lack of moisture. In addition to this most valuable feature, it is a cauliflower of the highest quality, producing large, pure white heads that weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each. If you have been unsuccessful in getting cauliflower to head, try Dry Weather. **Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.90; oz. \$3.70**

## 251 Early Snowball—A ☉

60 days. Plants small to medium in size, erect to semi-spreading, with large, wavy, medium green leaves. Heads are very firm, deep globular in shape, white in color, and of excellent quality. It is widely used because heads can be cut in a relatively short time. **Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25; 1/2 oz. \$2.25; oz. \$4.25**

## 258 Veitch's Autumn Giant

130 days. The finest late cauliflower; immense, compact white heads, 8 to 10 in. across. Like all late varieties, it is recommended for fall crop only and in regions where cauliflower is sure to thrive. **Pkt. 20¢; 1/4 oz. 95¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.75; oz. \$3.00**

### How to Grow Cauliflower

For a main or fall crop, sow the seed thinly in a specially prepared seed bed or coldframe about 4 months before your first expected frost. Thin out from time to time to allow ample room for development. It is important that cauliflower seedlings are not allowed to become crowded in the plant bed. When plants are ready to be set in the garden, space them 1 1/2 to 2 ft. apart, in rows 2 1/2 to 3 ft. apart. They must always be kept in a healthy growing condition until heads are formed. Any stunting of growth, due to lack of moisture or low fertility, may prove harmful to the crop. A packet will produce about 150 plants; 1 oz. 4000.

## WINTER CAULIFLOWER

**155 St. Valentine Broccoli** 150 days. Large, solid, white heads identical to cauliflower. Too late maturing for general Eastern culture. Recommended as a winter crop, especially in the Pacific Coast area, where season is long and weather is cool.

**Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.50; 1/4 lb. \$5.00**

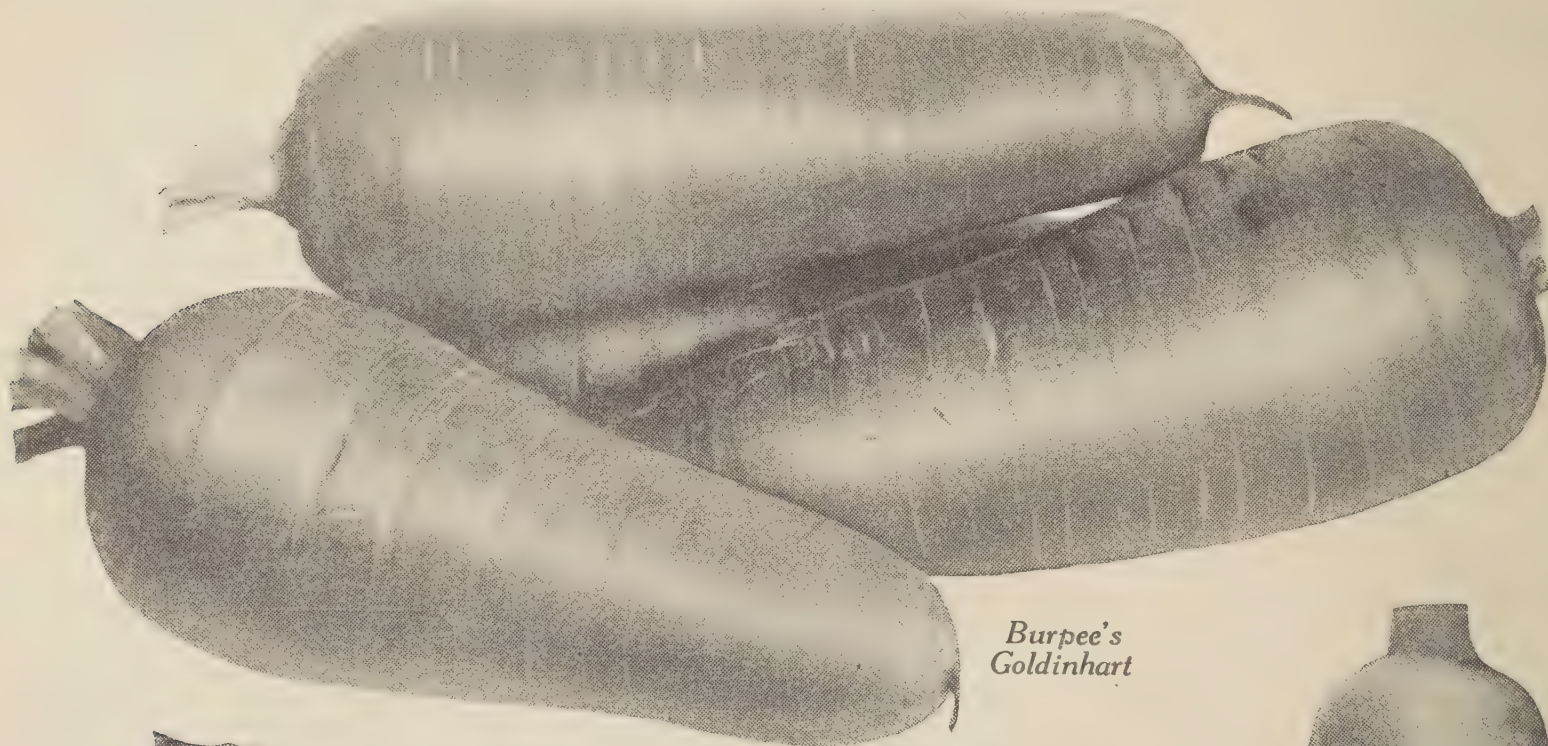
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# Burpee's CARROTS

May be used at different stages of growth but are at their best if eaten when half grown or smaller. There are varied sizes and shapes to suit your purposes as well as soil conditions; Burpee's Oxheart with its stocky, heart-shaped roots especially suited for shallow or heavy soils to Burpee's Improved Long Orange for deep mellow soils—the popular medium length carrot for all general

purposes is Burpee's Goldinhardt. There are many ways to use carrots—cook alone, use in soups, stews, chowders, with other vegetables or with roasts; glazed carrots with green peas are ever popular. Raw carrots may be served as a relish when chilled and cut lengthwise in slender strips; splendid when shredded and used in salads and a refreshing appetizer when served as chilled juice.



*Burpee's  
Goldinhardt*

## 224 Burpee's Goldinhardt ⊙

70 days. Our special strain of Red Cored Chantenay. Selected for uniformity, trueness to type, deep exterior and interior color, and a small, indistinct core. Roots are 5 to 5½ in. long and 2¼ in. thick at the shoulder, very gradually tapering to an abrupt stump end; skin is orange-scarlet. Flesh is fine grained, tender and of a delicate, sweet flavor. Popular with canners, commercial growers, and home gardeners because of heavy yield, all-round excellence and the bright golden orange flesh all the way through to the center. None better for freezing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.15

## 229 Burpee's Improved Long Orange

85 days. If left to reach full growth, roots will measure 10 to 12 in. long and 2 in. thick at the shoulder, slightly tapering to a point; deep orange skin and tender, tasty, bright orange-red flesh. A heavy cropper and a good keeper. Large, strong tops. Also used for stock feeding; highly nutritious.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.40

## 225 Danvers Half Long—Old favorite

75 days. Well-known, heavy cropping carrot of great uniformity with deep orange-red skinned roots, 7 to 7½ in. long, 2 to 2½ in. in diameter and tapering gradually towards the blunt end. Flesh is bright orange, fine grained, tender, rich in flavor and very sweet. Popular for freezing, home garden and for market; valuable for winter storing, feeding stock and none better for table use. Has proved to be widely adaptable in all soils.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

## 232 Tendersweet ⊙—Highest sugar content

75 days. A long, bunching type which requires a deep soil for best development. When fully mature, roots measure 1½ to 2 in. at the shoulder, 8 to 10 in. long and taper to a blunt end. Skin is colored rich orange-red, interior is a deep orange with indistinct core. Quality is excellent and the texture crisp and brittle. Foliage is distinct, as the leaf stalks are tinged purple. Sweet and tender, smooth, uniform carrot for home, market and storing.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

### 3 of the Best Carrots for All Purposes

Burpee's Goldinhardt, Nantes Half Long and Tendersweet

7059—3 Pkts., one of each separate variety, value 55¢ for only **45¢**

7060—1½ Ozs., ½ oz. of each variety, value \$1.15 for only **\$1.00**

*Danvers  
Half Long*

*Tendersweet*



## 223 Burpee's Oxheart Carrot

75 days. Splendid midseason carrot, which may be used while the roots are still small. If allowed to mature, the broad, stocky, heart-shaped carrots will measure 4 to 4½ in. long and 3 to 3½ in. across where they are thickest; this gives a large amount of edible flesh, which is light orange, tender, sweet and of delicious flavor. Because of their shape, they are easy to harvest and do well in shallow or heavy soils where longer carrots often fail to make attractive roots. Fine for home use and busheling rather than bunching. It is a good cropper and keeper.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

## 221 Chantenay or Model

70 days. Attractive, deep orange, half-long roots, 5½ in. long and 2¼ in. thick at the top, gradually tapering toward the bottom to a distinctly stump end. The flesh is a beautiful rich orange, tender, of fine texture and very sweet. Splendid for the home garden and sells readily on all produce markets; valuable for canners, a good shipper and excellent winter keeper.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

## 234 Imperator—Streamlined

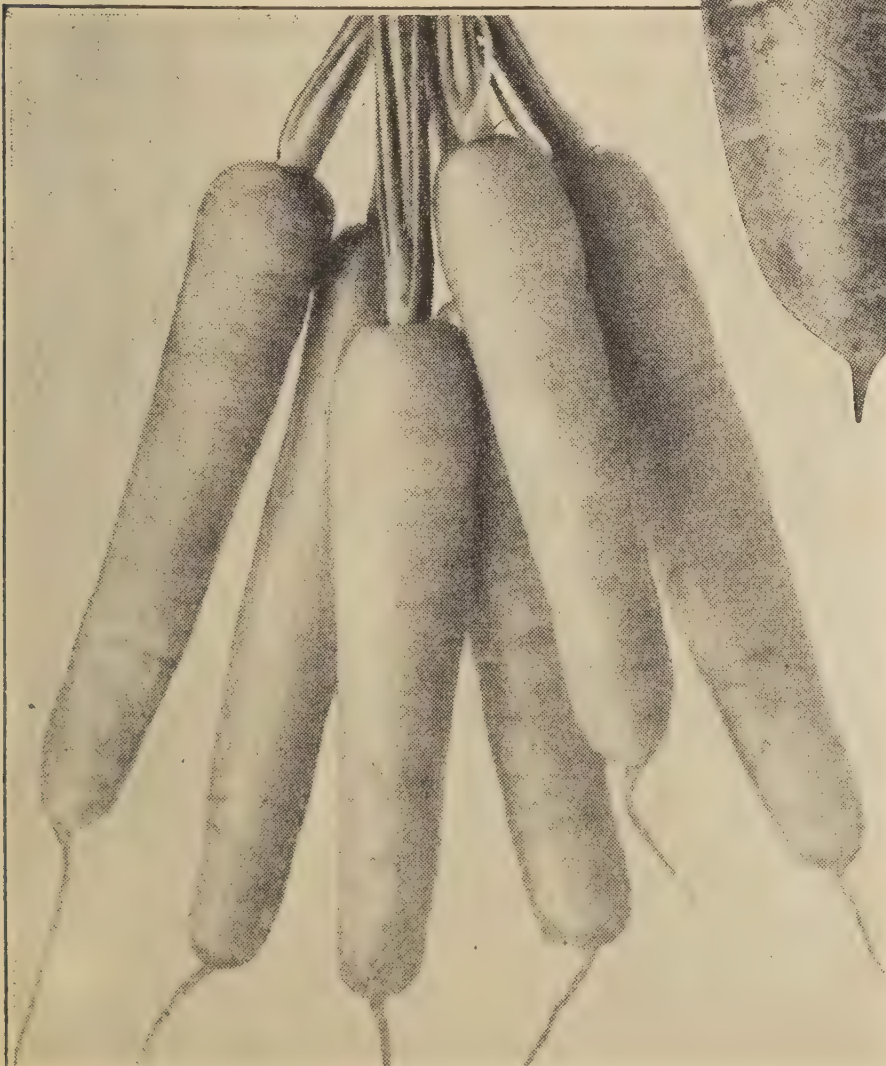
75 days. Exceptionally heavy yield; always smooth and uniform. Roots grow 8 to 9 in. long, 1½ in. across shoulder, tapering to a rather blunt end. Skin is rich orange-red; flesh is very deep orange. In demand for home gardens, freezing and especially by market gardeners, as it has the shape, size and color to show to advantage, and the sweet, tender, fine grained flesh of rich flavor to further recommend it. Ideal buncher and a good shipper. A favorite. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

## 226 Nantes Half Long

70 days. Handsome, half-long, slim, well-shaped orange roots, 6 to 7 in. long and perfectly cylindrical, being from 1 to 1½ in. thick, the whole length ending abruptly in a small, thin tail. They are of delicious flavor, fine grained, tender, sweet and practically coreless; flesh is orange-scarlet. Excellent for freezing. Nantes is a popular finger carrot, translucent in appearance and because of its unsurpassed quality, texture, color and flavor, is strongly recommended for the home garden and roadside sales.

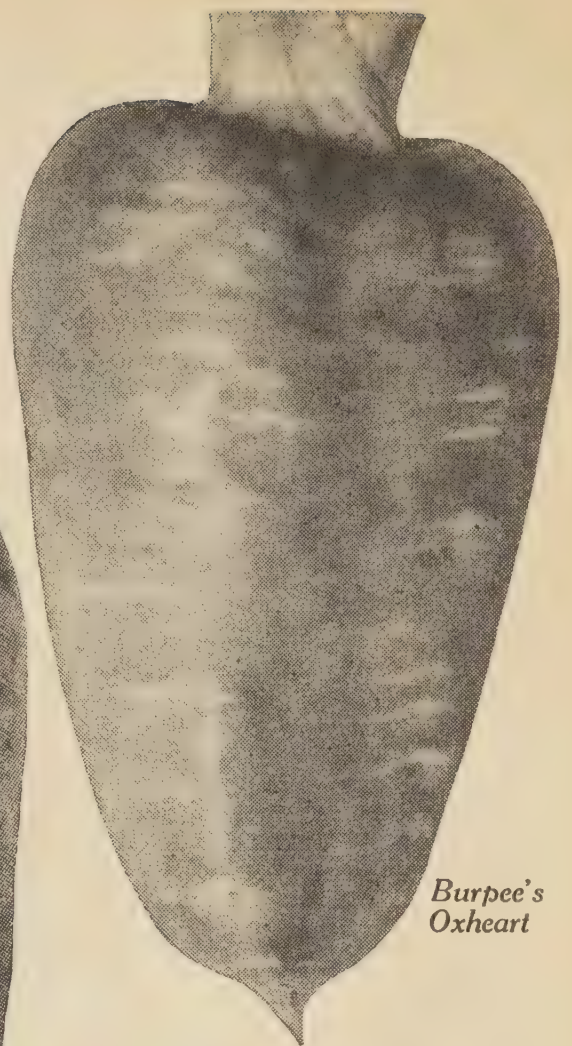
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75



Nantes Half Long — practically coreless



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Burpee's  
Oxheart

## 240 Large Yellow Belgian

*For stock feeding*

100 days. Very productive carrot with roots 12 to 18 in. long, broad at the shoulder, and gradually taper to a fine point. The skin below the ground is lemon-yellow, but above the soil surface it is green. Will yield heavily, especially in deep, mellow soil. Of high value for feeding cows, horses and sheep during the fall and winter. Easy to harvest as the large size roots grow partially above the surface of the soil as they become fully developed. Good keepers of fine quality. Not suitable for table use.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

### How to Grow Carrots

Sow seed thinly in early spring in rows not less than 12 in. apart and make additional sowings when the preceding planting is up and growing; allow plenty of time for the last sowing to mature before frost. Cover the seed with ½ in. of fine soil. Thin the small early varieties to stand 2 in. apart in the row and the larger, later varieties from 2 to 3 in. A rich, mellow, deeply worked soil gives the finest carrots. The later sowings will produce nice, tender carrots in the fall; these are the best for winter storing. A pkt. will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. about 200 ft.

### ◎ FOLLOW THE BULL'S EYE ◎

If you are in doubt as to which varieties of vegetables to choose, make your selection from those marked with a bull's eye (◎). They represent, in our opinion, those varieties which do well under the most varied conditions of soil and climate. Each and every one is reliable.

### THE EFFECT OF SEASON, LOCALITY, ETC.

Throughout the vegetable section of this catalog, we have given the approximate maturity dates and other comparative information about varieties such as their size, shape, etc. It should be understood that weather conditions, climate, soil, locality and time of sowing may have an effect on any or all of these characteristics.

Store carrots for winter use . . 71





Burpee's  
Fordhook  
Celery

# Burpee's CELERY

A most popular vegetable served raw as a relish or cooked in different ways. May be used from the time plants are one-half or two-thirds grown until fully matured. Stalks may be blanched to make them more crisp and tender, although many persons prefer them unblanched, especially Burpee's Fordhook, Giant Pascal, and Utah, all famous green celeries. Some varieties, such as Burpee's Fordhook, are highly desirable for winter storage either where grown and protected from freezing or lifted and put in soil in a cold cellar.

## 272 Burpee's Fordhook ☉

130 days. Burpee's Fordhook Celery is, without question, the best fall and winter variety in existence. Plants are stocky and compact, growing 15 to 18 in. tall. Although comparatively dwarf, they are so solid that they weigh fully 2 lbs. each. Their limited height is of great importance, since the plants are by far more easily blanched than those of the taller varieties. The stalks, after blanching, are a beautiful pure silvery white with a large, tightly folded full heart of the most delicious flavor. Always tender, crisp, without strings, and juicy. Time of maturity and the dark green color before blanching make Fordhook an ideal variety for winter storage. We offer our improved strain.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.60; 1/4 lb. \$4.75

## 260 Burpee's Golden Self-Blanching ☉—Early

115 days. First introduced in America by Burpee. This is the American-grown seed produced from the dwarf French-grown stock. Grown extensively by home gardeners as well as by market growers. The plants make a compact, medium growth and form thick, solid, heavily ribbed stalks which blanch easily into a beautiful clear waxen yellow color. The stalks and heart are crisp, solid, heavy, free from any strings and of the most delicious flavor. Choice quality.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

## 263 Cornell 19 ☉—Outstanding, early, self-blanching

120 days. Early, vigorous, self-blanching, and resistant to fusarium yellows. Plant 20 to 23 in. tall with thick heart, and rounded, fairly smooth, fleshy stalks. Combines the high quality of Utah with the self-blanching characteristics of Golden Self-Blanching. Highly recommended as a main-crop variety for all celery growing regions and as a midwinter crop in Florida.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.60; 1/4 lb. \$4.75

## 267 Easy Blanching—Stalks easily blanched to white

125 days. A second-early green celery for home and market. Plants make a vigorous, upright yet compact growth, and the stalks are easily blanched to an attractive white. They are thick, solid, unusually meaty, crisp, free from fiber or strings, and of extra-fine flavor. Good keeper.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

## 266 White Plume—Recommended for fall and early winter

112 days. The earliest and the most easily blanched celery; at its best right after digging. Foliage is light green tinted with white. When blanched, the stalks are pure snowy white, tender and crisp; flavor is rich and nutty. Quality is good. Not recommended for late winter storage.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.50

## 282 Giant Pascal—Known as Winter King

135 days. Considered by many the standard winter celery. Plants are large, upright and very heavy. Stalks are tall, thick, solid, stringless, and of a rich, nutty flavor; broad, distinctly ribbed, tender, crisp and very tasty. After blanching they are an attractive light yellow. If properly stored, it will keep in perfect condition throughout the winter months. Whether grown for home or market use, Giant Pascal has always given entire satisfaction.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

## 268 Golden Plume or Wonderful

115 days. Splendid early celery developed from the famous Golden Self-Blanching; the stalks, however, are larger. It is quite resistant to blight and rot and possesses very good eating qualities. Plants are of medium size, stocky, compact, and have a solid, full, creamy heart of the highest table quality. The thick, heavy stalks blanch readily to a beautiful light yellow; flavor is distinctly nutty and rich. The many good qualities of this widely grown early yellow celery commend it to all growers for home and market.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

### How to Grow Celery

For the earliest crop, start the seed in a hotbed or in the house, allowing 10 to 14 weeks to produce plants large enough to set out when weather gets warm. For the fall or main crop, sow seed in the open ground as early in the spring as the soil can be worked into good condition. Cover seed with no more than 1/4 in. of fine soil. Celery requires a rich, well-manured soil and plenty of moisture for best results. Soil, boards, or celery paper may be used to blanch the stalks. A pkt. of seed will produce about 400 strong plants; 1 oz. about 7500 plants. Days to maturity are from the time the plants are set out in the garden.

## 276 Utah or Golden Crisp ☉

130 days. An excellent green celery for fall use or winter storing. Matures about 5 days earlier than Giant Pascal. Plants are compact, stalks broad and thick, exceptionally solid, and when blanched are pure white, crisp, and of the most delicious flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$3.75

## CELERIAC

(Turnip-Rooted Celery)

### 293 Giant Prague 120 days.

The edible portion is the large, thick root, which may be used when it has grown about 2 in. across; fully grown roots may average 4 in. in diameter. Celeriac has a flavor similar to celery and is highly valued boiled or used in vegetable soup, stews, and other dishes. It grows best in a moderately moist yet well-drained soil, which is fairly rich in barnyard manure. Grow as you would celery except that it does not require hilling or blanching. Roots may be stored in moist earth or sand for winter use.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.60





# Hybrid Yellow SWEET CORN

Hybrid Corns are of special value to market growers, canners and to many home gardeners because the ears from one planting mature at about the same time; in addition to this uniformity of maturity they are noted for their high yield and resistance to Stewart's disease or bacterial wilt. If you prefer to have ears over a long period, plant two or more hybrids of different maturity dates. It is not advisable to save seed from plantings of any hybrids because there will be a reduction in yield the next year. For best results, be sure to get new seed each year.

## 321 Burpee Surecross — *Fine flavored*

85 days. A most vigorous, high yielding, yellow hybrid of the main-crop class. Ears average 9 in. long, with 12 to 16 rows of rich yellow kernels of good quality. The deep green, vigorous plants, 6 to 6½ ft. in height, usually bear two ears each, the ears held at a good angle from the stalk thus making it easy to harvest. Its fine flavor and dependable production recommend it for home and market garden.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

## 309 Golden Cross Bantam — *Grown extensively*

85 days. Most widely used of all the hybrids for canning, freezing, market, shipping and the favorite home garden main-crop yellow hybrid. Usually two ears, 7½ to 8½ in. long, each with 10 to 14 rows of sweet light golden yellow kernels, are produced to a stalk 6 to 7 ft. high. Quite uniform in maturity and ear characteristics.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 350 Aristogold Bantam Evergreen

89 days. The highest yielding, biggest eared, deepest kerneled, stiffest stalked, most cold and drought resistant quality sweet corn. The ears grow 9 to 10 in. long with 16 or 18 rows of exceptionally deep, juicy, high quality, golden yellow kernels. Husks are tight, resisting ear worms and smut. Plants are sturdy and vigorous, average 8½ ft. tall, dark green and free from suckers. Valuable for all purposes.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

## 318 Carmelcross — *Heavy yielding, second-early*

80 days. Particularly well adapted to New England and the Northeastern states as well as southern Illinois and similar regions. Plants grow 5 to 6 ft. high; ears are gently tapering, 7½ in. long with 10 to 14 rows of delicious golden kernels.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.75

## 323 Ioana — *All-America Winner; great producer*

87 days. Ears 7½ to 8 in. long, uniform and cylindrical, well filled with 12 to 16 rows of deep, medium-narrow, light yellow kernels of delicious flavor. Becoming increasingly popular in many sections for the home garden and market grower's trade; valuable for canning. Has proved highly resistant to wilt. 6½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 330 Lincoln — *All-America Winner; vigorous grower*

83 days. Ears are large, 7 to 8 in. long, tapering, well covered with husk, and filled to the tips with 12 to 16 rows of bright golden kernels of good quality. Desirable for freezing, home and market use. Withstands adverse weather conditions. 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 320 Marcross — *The leading second-early yellow hybrid*

75 days. The ears are 6½ to 8 in. long, with 12 or 14 rows of large, sweet, light cream-yellow, medium-broad kernels. A most productive, large, uniform, second-early market and home garden hybrid. Suitable for freezing. Grows 5 to 5½ ft. high.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

## 319 Spancross — *Earliest yellow hybrid corn we offer*

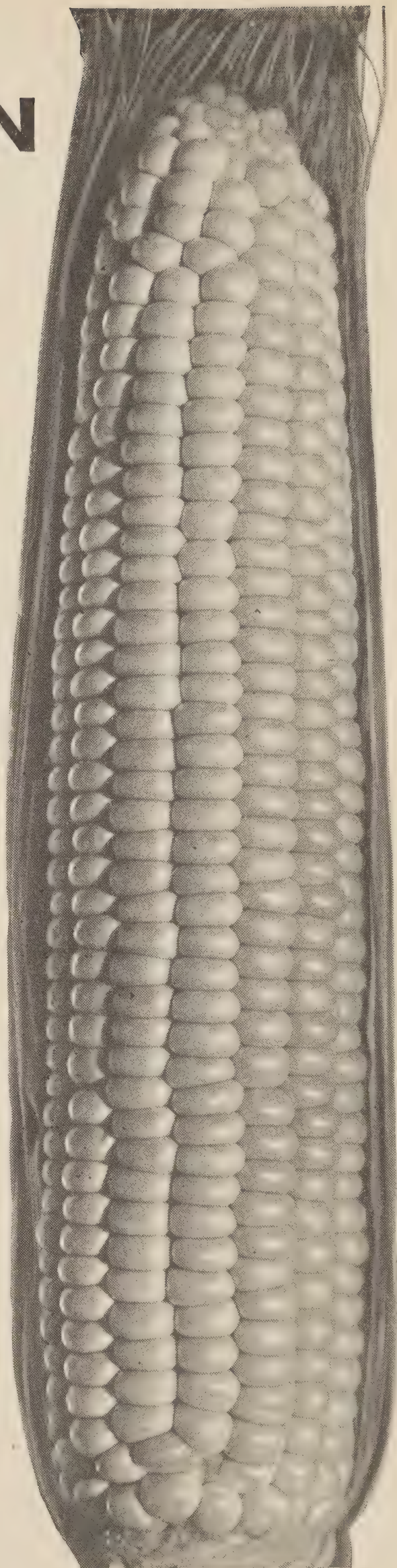
71 days. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. tall with the ear set low on the stalk. Ears are 6½ in. long, 1¾ in. in diameter, slightly tapering, well filled to the tip with 10 or 12 rows of golden yellow, sweet kernels. One of the best for early home and market use.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.75

### 3 Choice Yellow Hybrid Sweet Corns

Spancross, Marcross and Golden Cross Bantam

7083—3 Pkts., for a continuous supply of delicious corn, one each of these 3 varieties—early, medium and late, value 45¢ for only **35¢**



*Burpee Surecross*





*Stowell's  
Evergreen Hybrid*

## Hybrid White Sweet Corn

### 334 Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid ☉

90 days. Ears  $7\frac{1}{2}$  to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, with 14 to 18 rows of deep, medium-wide, white kernels which are tender and very sweet. Recommended for home or market garden, freezing and canning. 8 to 10 ft. tall. Differs from open pollinated Stowell's Evergreen in having deeper kernels and greater uniformity of maturity. The ears are about 2 in. across at the butt and taper slightly. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 45¢; 1 lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

### 347 Burpee's Snowcross—Pure white

83 days. The ears average  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. in length, taper towards tip, with 16 to 20 rows of clear white, compact kernels of finest quality. Valuable for home and market gardener. 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in height.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 50¢; 1 lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$4.00

### 325 Silver Cross Bantam—A leader

85 days. Outstanding white-kerneled companion to Golden Cross Bantam with slightly taller and more single stalks; ears are somewhat larger and more tender; 8 to 9 in. long, with 12 or 14 rows of broad, glistening white, tender kernels of the most delicious flavor.

Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 55¢; 1 lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

## Standard White Sweet Corn

### 333 Burpee's White Evergreen ☉

90 days. Splendid white, main-crop sweet corn for home gardeners and market growers. The 8 to 9 in. ears are closely set with 16 to 20 rows of pearly white grains of rich and luscious flavor which is retained much longer than most varieties. Stalks 7 to 8 ft. tall. A heavy yielder, earlier and larger than Stowell's Evergreen. Preferred by many for canning as the kernels retain their paper whiteness. Vigorous grower. Pkt. 15¢;

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### 340 Black Mexican—Sweet and tender

86 days. Large ears, 7 to 8 in. long, with 8 rows of pearly white kernels in the milk stage which later get a purplish or bluish black tinge. One of the sweetest; at its best for flavor and tenderness before any color appears in the kernels. It is, however, edible for several days after the purple pigment appears. Stalks grow 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

### 316 Burpee's Delicious ☉—Popular

91 days. Stalks make a strong and vigorous growth, 5 to 7 ft. tall. Under average culture each stalk carries two fine ears close to 8 in. in length, with 12 or 14 rows of pearly white, deep grains of the same delicious flavor as the famous Burpee's Golden Bantam.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

### 337 Country Gentleman—Prolific

92 days. Known as **Shoe Peg** because of the appearance of the dry grains, which are thin and narrow. A productive midseason variety. Ears grow 7 to 8 in. long, have a small white cob thickly filled with irregularly arranged, pure white, slender, lusciously sweet kernels with tender hull. The strong stalks grow 7 ft. tall and often produce two ears each. General favorite for the home garden, canning and freezing; some market gardeners grow it for local trade.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

### 310 Burpee's Howling Mob

85 days. Vigorous, productive early midseason sweet corn; stalks grow 5 to 6 ft. high; ears 7 to 9 in. long, closely set with 12 to 18 rows of pearly white, plump grains arranged in straight rows.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### 335 Stowell's Evergreen

95 days. Ears  $7\frac{1}{2}$  to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, with 16 to 20 rows of white, sweet, tender, meaty, and juicy kernels of exceptional quality. Holds its remarkable sweetness for quite a long time. 7 to 8 ft. tall.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

### 300 White Midget—Takes little space

74 days. Ears  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 in. long, with 8 rows of white, sweet, tender, delicately flavored kernels. Dwarf plants  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. tall; take up little space in the garden. Keep them healthy for best results.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$1.85



# Standard Yellow Sweet Corn

## 301 Burpee's Golden Bantam ☉ — *Known to all*

80 days. Introduced by Burpee and deservedly America's favorite sweet corn. The plants are 5 to 6½ ft. tall, and the ears are slender, 5½ to 6½ in. long, with 8 and only 8 rows of even, broad, moderately deep, golden kernels of the most delicious flavor. If you want a larger ear, if you want an earlier corn, a more productive one, we have varieties and hybrids for your needs, but if you want the best and sweetest for your table, it's true 8-rowed Golden Bantam. It is the first real sweet corn demanded in market, and the most popular with the home gardener; highly prized for freezing.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 303 Bantam Evergreen — *Standard late large-eared yellow*

90 days. A cross between Burpee's Golden Bantam and Stowell's Evergreen. Ears 7 to 9 in. long, with 12 to 16 rows of deep, rich golden yellow kernels of very good quality. Strong-growing stalks, 6 to 7 ft. high. An excellent, large-eared, late yellow sweet corn for the home garden; in various sections, it is used to some extent by market gardeners and canners.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 302 Golden Midget — *Smallest, yellow-grained ears; very early*

65 days. Ears 4 to 4½ in. long, 1¼ in. thick with 8 rows of medium-yellow kernels that are sweet and tender. Dwarf plants 2 to 3 ft. tall. Especially recommended for the Northeast.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$1.85

## 326 Golden Sunshine ☉ — *Early, large-eared; sweet, tender*

74 days. Ears 7 in. long, closely set with 10 or 12 rows of attractive golden yellow kernels. Stalks grow 4½ to 5 ft. high, many carrying two ears. Excellent for home or market gardener, especially in sections with reasonably cool summers and short growing season.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 306 The Burpee — *Larger and earlier than Golden Bantam*

75 days. Big attractive ear, 6 to 7 in. long, closely set with 12 rows of large, broad, deep, rich golden yellow kernels, full of sweetness and with the same buttery flavor that has given world fame to Burpee's Golden Bantam. Gardeners everywhere praise it highly; its earliness, large size, heavy yield and superior quality have made it a general favorite for home, market and freezing. 5 to 6½ ft. stalks and, as a rule, each produces two large ears.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### 3 Fine Standard Sweet Corns

Burpee's Golden Bantam, Golden Sunshine and Burpee's White Evergreen

7076—3 Pkts., one of each, value 35¢ for only 25¢ 7081—1½ Lbs., ½ lb. of each, value 95¢ for only 80¢

7086—3 Lbs., 1 lb. of each, value \$1.60 for only \$1.40

## DELICIOUS POP CORN

Put 5 or 6 seeds in groups 3 to 4 ft. apart and cover with 1 to 2 in. of soil; later thin out, leaving 3 or 4 stalks to a group. Seed may also be sown in rows 3 to 4 ft. apart, the seed spaced 4 to 6 in. apart. As Pop Corn is harder than Sweet Corn, the seed may be planted a week earlier. A pkt. will plant 75 ft. of row.

## 357 Hybrid South American Mushroom ☉ — *The leader*

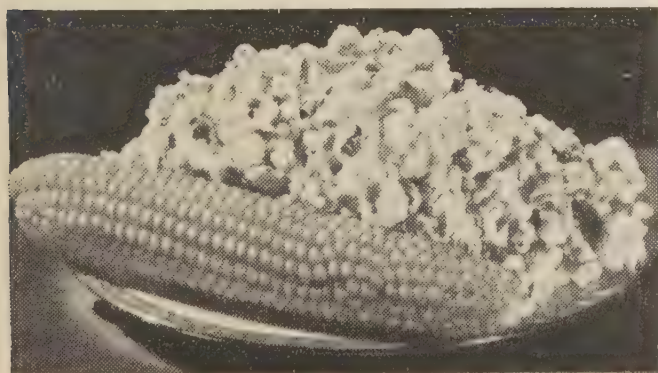
105 days. Orange-yellow kernels, somewhat rounded with very high popping expansion, varies from 28 to 30 volumes. Ears 6 to 8 in. long with 14 or 16 rows of kernels. Vigorous grower, 6 to 7 ft. high. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 60¢; 1 lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$4.75

## 354 South American Mushroom — *Excellent popping ability*

120 days. Large golden yellow kernels which pop creamy white. Ears grow 6 to 9 in. long; stalks 6 to 7 ft. high. Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 360 Japanese Hulless — *Also known as Baby Rice*

95 days. Ears 2½ to 4¼ in. long, well filled with deep, narrow kernels which pop snowy white. 6 to 7 ft. tall. Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50



Pop Corn, Hybrid South American Mushroom

## 359 Minhybrid ☉

90 days. Early, heavy yielding, hybrid hulless, with ears and kernels resembling Japanese Hulless but when popped the round, white balls are much larger, very tender and free of fiber. Stalks are strong and sturdy, growing 5 to 6 ft. tall; usually produce two and often three small ears each. Kernels are deep, pointed, with thin skin. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 60¢; 1 lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.00; 5 lbs. \$4.75



Burpee's Golden Bantam  
Introduced by Burpee in 1902

### How to Grow Sweet Corn

Plant seed after all danger of frost has passed and the soil has become thoroughly warm, in rows 2½ to 3 ft. apart, spacing the seeds 4 to 6 in. apart in the row; cover with 1 in. of soil and later thin to stand 8 to 12 in. apart. Some prefer to sow 4 seeds in groups, allowing 2 to 3 in. between the seeds and spacing the groups 2 to 3 ft. apart in the row; allow 2 or 3 plants to remain in a group. Corn should be planted in blocks of at least 4 rows side by side rather than in a single long row, to insure pollination and the development of a full set of kernels. A pkt. will plant 4 rows, each about 25 ft. in length; 1 lb. will plant 300 groups or "hills."

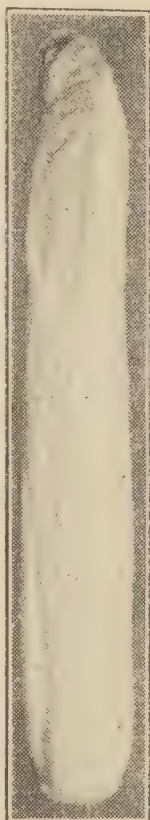




*De Cicco, Italian Green Sprouting Broccoli*



*Brussels Sprouts,  
Long Island Improved*



*Witloof  
Chicory or  
French  
Endive*



*Georgia Collards*

## BROCCOLI Italian Green Sprouting

Most easily grown and delicious flavored vegetable for home, market and freezing. Plants are tall, erect and vigorous, 2½ ft. and more in height. They should be staked or given some other form of support.

Seeds sown in early spring outdoors will furnish heads in summer while sowings made in midsummer will provide for a late summer and fall crop. For the earliest crop, sow the seeds early in hotbed or house; transplant the young plants to the garden when soil has become warm. A pkt. will produce about 250 plants; an oz. 3000.

**157 Calabrese** 85 days. The central large, cauliflower-like head of bluish green flower buds grows 5 or 6 in. in diameter and after being cut numerous smaller heads appear on the side branches over a long period. Keep green sprouts cut off before the flower buds open.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

**156 De Cicco** 78 days. Very similar in every way to Calabrese but ready a week earlier. Recommended highly for home and market.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

**158 Long Island Improved** 120 days. Grown extensively on Long Island for the New York market and the most satisfactory variety for use throughout the U. S. Compact plants, 20 in. tall, with solid, round, cabbage-like sprouts measuring 1¼ to 1½ in. in diameter with a more delicate flavor than cabbage. This is a splendid vegetable.

Brussels Sprouts are easy to grow. In the South, seeds may be sown in the spring; elsewhere, sow seed thinly in a specially prepared seedbed or coldframe before midsummer, allowing plenty of time for sprouts to mature before hard frosts; light frosts seem to improve the flavor. In about 30 to 35 days after the seed is sown plants should be big enough to transplant to the garden. Set them 18 in. apart in rows 3 to 4 ft. apart. The "sprouts," dark green, tightly folded, cabbage-like heads, appear along the central stalk at the joints of the leaves and appear first at the bottom of the plant. Therefore, the lowest sprouts on the plant should be picked each time, after which break off the leaves below the sprout to make further picking easier but do not remove the top leaves. Becoming more popular in home gardens. Suitable for freezing. A pkt. will produce about 250 plants; an oz. 3000.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

## CHICORY — *Delicious, appetizing salad*

**297 Witloof (French Endive)** 110 days. A choice salad delicacy for fall and winter. Sow seed in the spring. In early fall, cut off foliage 1 in. above soil level, cover with 8 to 10 in. of soil and keep in place with boards set along the sides for three or four weeks when a pure white blanched stalk should be ready. Cut off about 1 in. above the top of the root and repeat as above for a second crop, or if wanted during the winter in cold sections, dig the roots, store for a few days in a shed or pit so they may become thoroughly chilled, then place upright in boxes and cover with 10 in. of sand, light soil or peat moss. Water and keep in a warm place indoors. In about a month, the sprouts should break through the surface and be ready for use as a tasty salad.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢

## COLLARDS — *One of the best boiling "greens"*

**299 Georgia** 80 days. Erect, spreading plants, 2 to 3 ft. tall with large, juicy, green leaves which are usually stripped from the plants as they mature thus providing delicious boiling "greens" of fine quality throughout the entire season. Will stand light freezing which improves the mild cabbage-like flavor of the leaves. Sow seeds outdoors in the spring when the soil and weather have become thoroughly warm.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

## CORN SALAD — *Lamb's Lettuce*

**351 Large Leaved Round** 60 days. Quick growing plant for early spring, late fall or winter use. It is quite hardy, producing an abundance of gray-green rounded leaves which are sometimes served like lettuce but are better if mixed with more piquant "greens." May also be cooked like spinach or used for garnishing like parsley. Sow seeds outdoors in the spring when soil and weather have become warm.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

## CRESS — *Easy, quick growing "green"*

**364 Fine Curled (Pepper Grass)** 40 days. Grows very quickly and is of the easiest culture. The finely cut, deep green leaves have a pleasing, pungent taste and are excellent for flavoring salads, garnishing, or as a "green" alone or with lettuce. Best if used when young. Sow seeds outdoors in the spring when soil and weather have become warm.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

**366 Water Cress** 50 days. An appetizing, mildly pungent salad; also used for garnishing. Start seed in pots set in a pan of water and transplant seedlings into a shallow running stream of fresh water or grow in moist soil in a shady place and provide plenty of water. Extensively grown in greenhouses for market during winter.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$4.00



# Burpee Hybrid Cucumber<sup>®</sup>

ORIGINATED ON BURPEE'S FORDHOOK FARMS

Enthusiastic comments from home gardeners, commercial growers and experiment station trials throughout the country, show the Burpee Hybrid Cucumber, like hybrid corn, to be more vigorous growing and more productive than any of the best standard varieties.

The report of Michigan State College on slicing cucumber trials last year shows Burpee Hybrid far exceeded all open pollinated varieties tested in pounds of fruits harvested per hill, double to four times as much, depending on variety.

370

## Burpee Hybrid

60 days. High resistance to mosaic and downy mildew are the outstanding attributes of this true first generation hybrid white spine, slicing type cucumber. Vines are extremely vigorous, long lived and bear an abundance of well-formed green fruits of handsome appearance, 8 in. and more long, 2½ in. wide, square at both ends with medium seed cavity and crispy, white flesh of excellent quality. Burpee Hybrid Cucumber outyields open pollinated varieties because the vines continue to produce their fruits most profusely for a long time after the others have ceased.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 30¢; 2 pkts. 55¢; 3 pkts. 75¢;  
5 pkts. \$1.20; ½ oz. \$2.75; oz. \$4.75



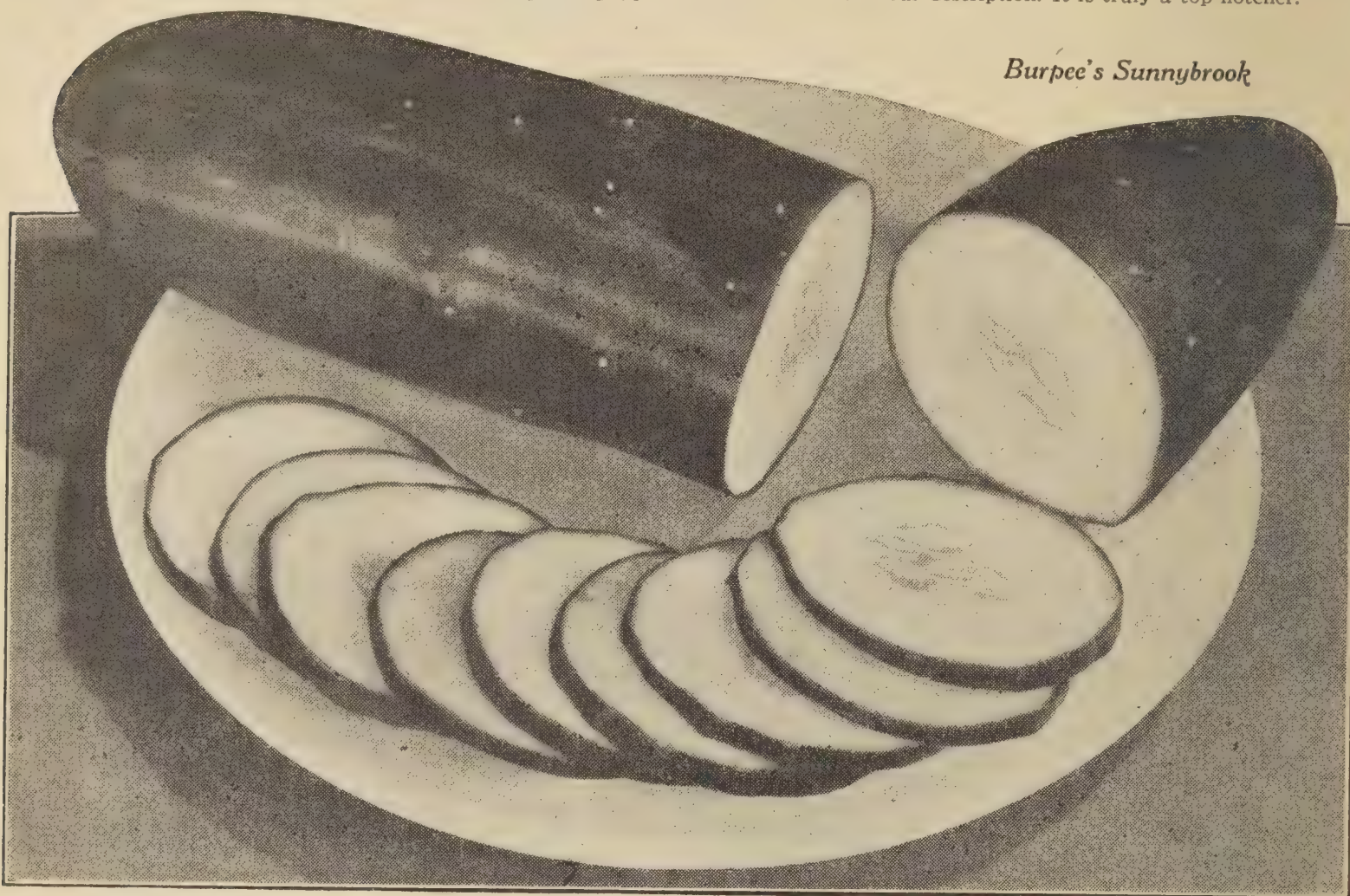
Girls hand pollinating cucumber blossoms to produce the Burpee Hybrid Cucumber. This picture was taken on Floradale Farms. Similar pollinating is done by girls at Fordhook.



# Burpee's CUCUMBERS

May be harvested at almost any age depending on what purpose the fruits are intended. Different sizes may be picked at the same time, small ones for sweet pickles, larger ones for bread and butter pickles, slicing or dill pickles. Many gardeners prefer to plant the larger fruited varieties for table use and the so-called pickling types

and gherkins for relishes or pickles. If you have had poor success with cucumbers in the past, plant Burpee Hybrid listed on page 77. Letters from customers all over the country acclaim it as outstanding for yield, quality, color and disease resistance; many tell us we are too modest in our description. It is truly a top-notch.



*Burpee's Sunnybrook*

## 374 Burpee's Sunnybrook ☉ — *Our extra dark streamliner for all purposes*

60 days. Burpee's Sunnybrook is an outstanding cucumber of the long, slender, dark green, white spine type with stripes absent or inconspicuous for considerably less than  $\frac{1}{4}$  its length. Whether used for pickling when small, or for slicing when fully grown, Burpee's Sunnybrook is a valuable cucumber for the home garden, local markets and distant shipping. Fruits are 9 to 11 in. in length and 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter when mature, tapering symmetrically toward either end; flesh is firm and thick, with few seeds which form late in the season so that the fruits are edible over a longer period than most varieties. Its firmness and the extremely dark color of the skin are maintained for a long time after picking. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$4.25

## 380 A and C — *Holds its green color well*

60 days. The white-spined fruits grow about 10 in. in length and  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick, well rounded at the ends with rich, dark green skin, the color of which is retained for an unusually long time after picking—an especially desirable feature for those sending their cucumbers to market. This characteristic, together with ideal shape, size and quality, make A and C a most valuable cucumber for the home garden as well as for market. White, crisp flesh; firm and tasty.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.10;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.25

## 379 Burpee's Extra Early White Spine — *Early and prolific*

55 days. Fruits are almost cylindrical, 7 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick with a beautiful deep green skin which is practically free from ridges. Excellent for slicing when fully grown or when small for pickling. Vines produce their fruits early and very freely.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55; lb. \$2.70

### Three of the Best White Spine Cucumbers

Burpee's Fordhook White Spine, Black Diamond and Burpee's Sunnybrook

7006—3 Pkts., one of each variety, value 50¢ for only 40¢

## 383 Burpee's Fordhook White Spine — *For pickling and slicing*

58 days. Straight, attractive fruits 8 in. long,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick, with a rich, dark green skin and white lines running from the blossom end toward the center of the fruit. The flesh is pure white, tender yet firm, and has a crisp flavor. Splendid for pickling while young; unexcelled for slicing when fully grown. For home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 95¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.70; lb. \$3.00

## 384 Black Diamond ☉ — *White spine*

54 days. "It Stays Green." Fruits grow  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{3}{4}$  in. across, straight, blunt ended and have a very deep green skin. The flesh is pure white, refreshing, tasty and of the finest quality. Widely used in home and market gardens and by shippers.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50

## 389 Cubit — *All-America Bronze Medal Winner*

60 days. A white spine variety which produces handsome dark green cylindrical fruits with rounded ends. When ready for use, the fruits are 7 to 8 in. long and 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, and the dark green color is retained a long time after picking.

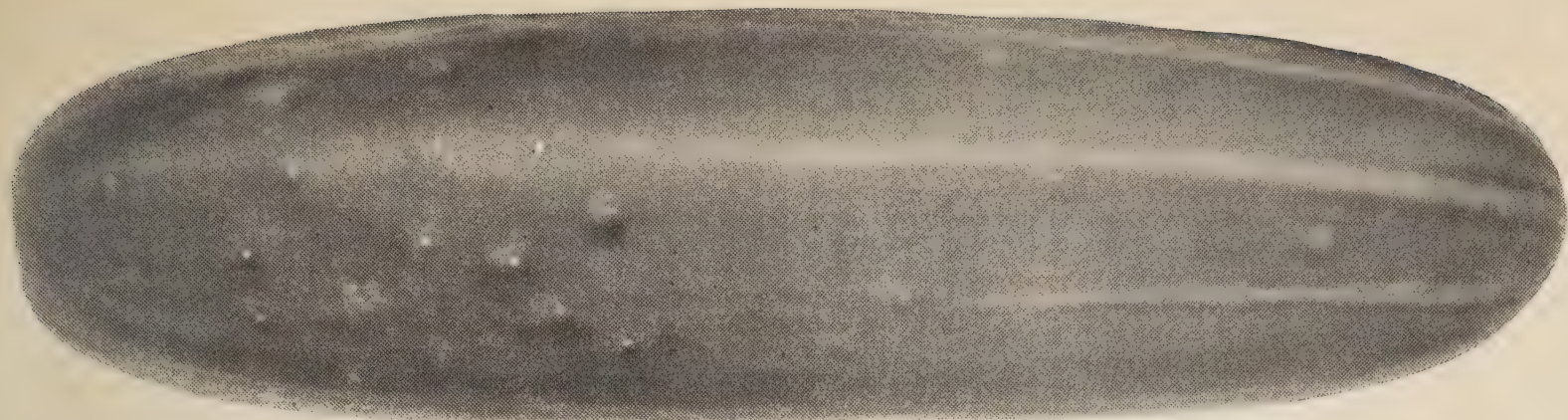
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.20; lb. \$4.00

## 400 Davis' Perfect — *Crisp and tender*

58 days. Shapely white spine cucumber, 9 to 10 in. long and 2 to  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick in the middle, slightly tapering at both ends. The skin is a rich deep green; the flesh is pure white, solid and brittle.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85





*Straight Eight Cucumber*

### 392 Straight Eight ☉ — *Well-named*

58 days. At best table size, fruits are 8 in. long and 2½ in. in diameter, well rounded at the ends, dark green in color, with practically no striping at the blossom end. Its even, deep color and symmetrical shape are outstanding characteristics; in fact, it greatly resembles the large, handsome, hothouse cucumbers offered at high prices in all the better markets. A favorite for home or market; good producer, ideal shipper and of the highest quality. Valuable white spine cucumber with a very descriptive name.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

### 401 Early Fortune — *Dependable*

58 days. The flesh is pure white, of a firm, crisp texture and most delicious flavor. Fully grown fruits measure 9 in. long and 2¼ in. thick, tapering slightly toward the ends. An old favorite white spine cucumber for home, market, shipping as well as for pickles.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

### 393 Fordhook Famous — *Great yielder*

60 days. Extra-long medium green, white spine cucumber, which, when fully grown, will measure 10 to 12 in. in length and 2½ to 3 in. in diameter at the largest part, tapering toward both ends.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

### 399 Improved Long Green — *London*

60 days. Fruits 10 to 12 in. long, 3 in. thick, and more or less warty; beautiful glossy green skin and pure white, solid, tender, crisp flesh. Popular for pickles or slicing and although it is a black spine cucumber it is extremely popular for market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

**Explanation of White Spine and Black Spine** Cucumbers are divided into two families, "White Spine" and "Black Spine." The spines are the miniature sticklers that protrude from the warts when fruits are young. White spine cucumbers turn to a creamy white when old; black spine varieties turn to a yellowish orange when matured. All cucumbers listed on the two previous pages and above, with the exception of Improved Long Green, are white-spined; pickling cucumbers, offered below, belong to the black spine group.

## CHOICE PICKLING CUCUMBERS

*May also be used for slicing, except Gherkin*

**390 Chicago Pickling** 58 days. Grow 6 to 7 in. long and 2½ in. thick. Enormously productive; disease resistant and a vigorous grower. The fruits are of even size, square-ended, rich dark green skin warty and ribbed at pickle size; moderately few warts when larger. Popular for years with leading pickle houses.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 80¢; ½ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.50

**375 Everbearing** 52 days. If the fruits are kept picked regularly, the plants will continue to bear over a longer season than many varieties. When fully grown, the fruits are 5 in. long and about 2 in. thick; rich medium green. Extremely prolific.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.70; lb. \$3.00

**377 Extra Early Green Prolific** 58 days. The bright green fruits are 6 in. long and 2½ in. thick, nearly smooth and blunt ended. Uniform size and shape.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 80¢; ½ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.50

**395 Fordhook Pickling ☉** 56 days. The fruits taper at both ends and have the warts and knobs so much desired in pickles. When fully grown, the fruits are 8 in. long and 3 in. thick. The largest pickler in common use.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20; ½ lb. \$2.20; lb. \$4.00

**402 Heinz Pickling** 56 days. When small, fruits are of ideal pickling shape and dark green color. If left to grow for slicing, they measure 5½ to 6½ in. long and 2½ to 3 in. thick. A heavy yielder of crisp fleshed straight fruits.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

**407 National Pickling ☉** 55 days. Rich dark green, 6 to 7 in. long and 2 in. thick, straight, rather blunt at each end, but not chunky. Can be used for pickles from small sweets to large dills or sours. Do not split or soften.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.60; lb. \$2.85

**409 West India Gherkin** 60 days. Quite different from other types of cucumbers. Vines produce an astonishingly large crop of small, burr-like fruits, 2 to 3 in. long and 1 to 1½ in. thick. The bright green skin is covered with fleshy spines or prickles. Used extensively for very small pickles or relish; they have a splendid flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

### 396 Marketer ☉ — *Dark green skin*

65 days. Fruits grow 8 in. long, 2¼ in. across, slender, smooth, slightly tapered to each end, dark green skin and thick crispy flesh of high quality; seed cavity is small. An extra fancy cucumber for market, shipping and home use. All-America Bronze Medal Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20; ½ lb. \$2.20; lb. \$4.00

### 394 Mincu — *Very early; white spine*

53 days. An excellent home garden cucumber for both pickling and slicing. Fruits 4½ to 5½ in. long, 2 to 2½ in. in diameter and produced in clusters. Medium green skin; white, crisp flesh.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

## How to Grow Cucumbers

Make your first sowing of cucumbers after all danger of frost has passed to supply fruits for summer use, and a second sowing 4 or 5 weeks later to furnish cucumbers for fall use and pickling. They succeed best in a fertile, light, well-drained soil. Well-rotted manure or organic matter dug into the soil where seeds are to be planted and side-dressings of commercial fertilizer after the plants have begun to grow are beneficial.

Plant in groups 4 to 5 ft. apart, placing 8 to 10 seeds in each group, and cover with ½ in. of soil. When plants are 6 to 8 in. high, thin to 3 or 4 plants to a group. A pkt. of seed will plant 15 groups; 1 oz. 50 groups or so-called "hills." Seeds may also be sown in rows 4 to 5 ft. apart, 4 to 6 in. apart in the row; later thin the plants to stand 12 in. apart in the row. To save garden space and make for easier gathering, cucumbers may be grown on a fence or trellis.

*Don't forget to plant dill seed. The dry or green branches and the dried seeds are prized for flavoring pickles. Dill is listed on page 81.*



*Fordhook Pickling*

*Dill*



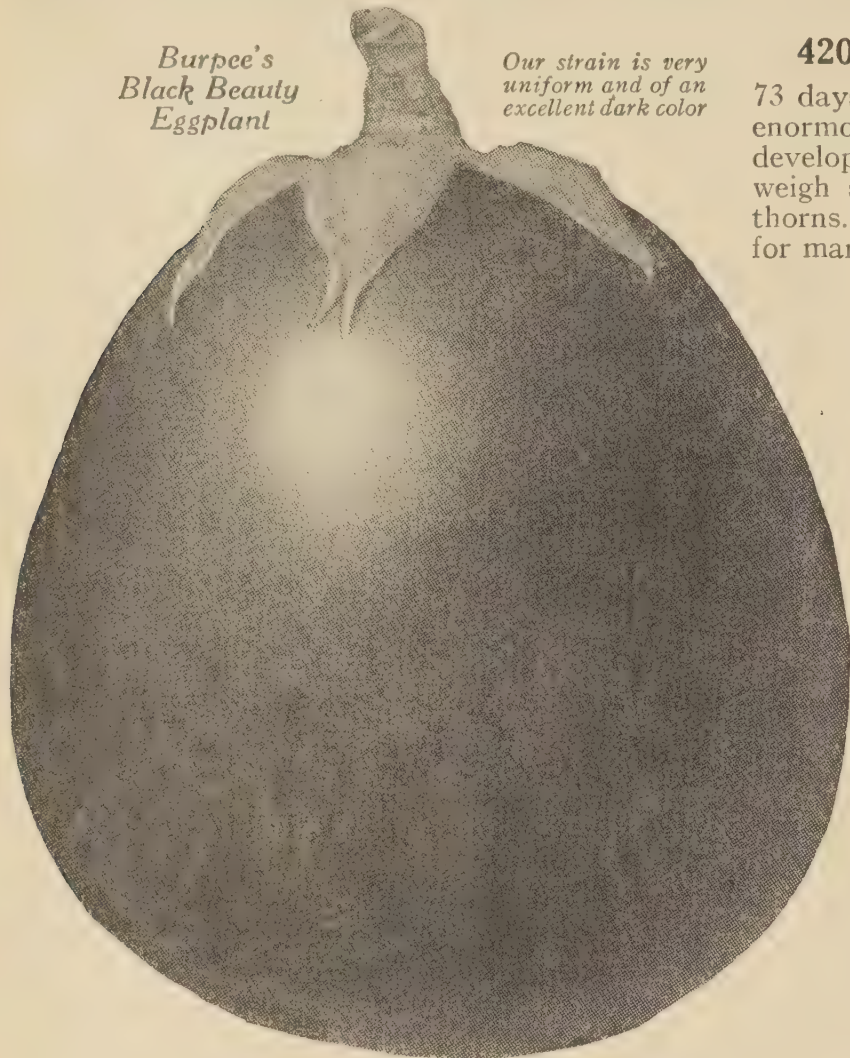
# Burpee's EGGPLANT

May be cooked in various ways. The fruits are at their best edible stage when the skin has attained a high gloss. Use when young, at which time the seeds will be small and hardly noticeable. Keep fruits picked off as they become ready and plants should bear until frost. A rich, sandy, warm soil produces the best plants and yields the highest number of fruits. Seed should be started in a hotbed, or indoors in shallow boxes or seed-pans, 8 to 9 weeks be-

fore the time to set the plants out in the garden. When seedlings are about 3 in. high, plant singly into small pots, setting the plants in the open when all danger of frost is past and the soil has become thoroughly warm. A pkt. of seed will produce about 100 plants; 1 oz. 2000 plants. Days mentioned in descriptions represent the average time required from the setting of the plants in the garden until the first fruits are ready for table use.

*Burpee's  
Black Beauty  
Eggplant*

*Our strain is very  
uniform and of an  
excellent dark color*



## 420 Burpee's Black Beauty ☉

73 days. The rich, deep purplish black fruits grow to an enormous size, but may be used while small. When fully developed, they are blunt and broad at the blossom end, weigh several pounds each and are free from spines or thorns. Suitable for freezing. Very productive. Valuable for market and home gardens. Holds its color well.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.25

**419 Burpee Hybrid ☉** 70 days. True first generation hybrid of outstanding qualities for home and market gardens. The plant is tall, tree-like, semi-spreading in habit, vigorous and produces continuously many fruits which are oval, medium-sized, and of a good dark purple. Most fruits do not touch the ground. More resistant to drought and disease than any commercial variety. Pkt. (15 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; 5 pkts. \$1.45

**423 Florida Highbush** 80 days. Plants are of strong, upright growth, and bear many large, elongated, dark purple fruits tapering towards the stem. Held well above the ground. Somewhat resistant to fruit rot and blight.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$3.50

**421 Ft. Myers Market** 80 days. Long, oval fruits of deep purple color and extremely smooth skin. Of considerable resistance to disease and excessive heat. Tall growing, the upright plants bearing their fruits well above the ground.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

**429 New Hampshire** 70 days. Early, low bush type, purple, oval-shaped eggplant recommended especially for short season areas. Lower fruits touch the ground.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$3.50

**422 New York Improved Spineless** 76 days. Entirely spineless, large purple eggplant whose fruits are broad, oval and hold their deep glossy black-purple color for a long time. The plants are quite spreading and low branching.

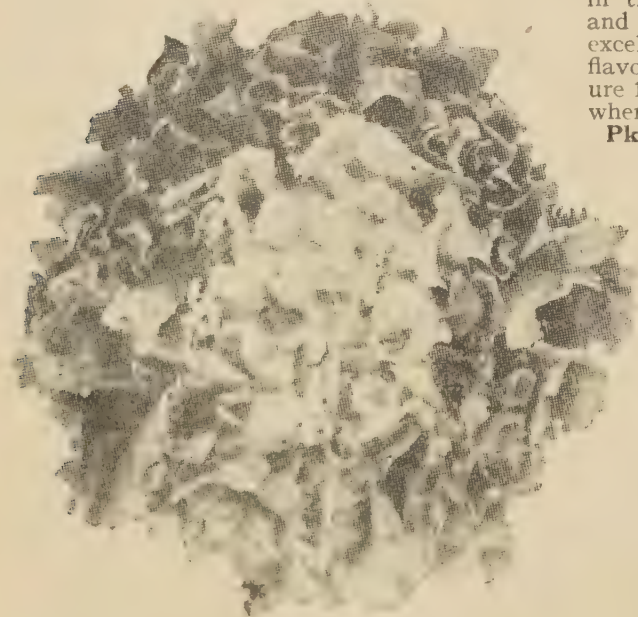
Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$4.00

## ENDIVE

For early use, sow seed in the open ground as soon as it can be worked; for main crop, make two more sowings about a month apart. In early stages of growth, leaves may have a pungent taste but later the inner leaves blanch and become sweet and tender. Used principally as a salad; often used for garnishing. A pkt. will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 100 ft.

**430 Green Curled or Giant Fringed Oyster** 65 days. Leaves are finely cut or lacinated, giving the plants a feathery appearance. They are a rich green color but readily blanch to an appetizing creamy white in the center; crisp and tender. Makes an excellent salad of fine flavor. Plants measure 16 to 18 in. across when full grown.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢;  
1/4 lb. 95¢;  
1/2 lb. \$1.75



*Deep Heart or Improved Full Heart  
Batavian Endive*



*Green Curled Endive*

**432 White Curled** 70 days. Leaves are light green, attractively curled and mossed; the dense centers are easily blanched to pure white. They have a most delicious, crisp, refreshing flavor. Plants grow 12 to 15 in. in diameter.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 95¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.75

**436 Broad Leaved Batavian** 90 days. (Full Heart Strain). A popular Escarolle with large, broad leaves forming immense round plants up to 16 in. across. Can be blanched creamy white like curled endive; the toothed, slightly twisted leaves may be cooked like spinach or used in soups and stews.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 95¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.75

**438 Deep Heart or Improved Full Heart ☉** 70 days. Improved Batavian of upright growth with a deeper, fuller and more compact heart; earlier in maturity. Large, thick, dark green leaves with slightly curled edges. Forms a medium-large head which readily blanches itself to light yellow; no need to tie up the leaves. Widely grown by home and market gardeners.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.10; 1/2 lb. \$2.00

**440 Cos Type Batavian** 100 days. The young plants resemble Full Heart Batavian but the leaves are much broader and rounder. As plants develop they become erect and look like Cos lettuce. Hearts blanch to a clear yellow and make the most appetizing tender salad. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.10; 1/2 lb. \$2.00





Chives

Dill

Florence Fennel

Sage

Sweet Basil

Thyme

## HERBS—Aromatic, Medicinal and Kitchen

Herbs belong in every vegetable garden and, because of their ornamental appearance, may also be grown in the flower garden.

**1304 Anise** 75 days. Annual. 1½ ft. Used for garnishing and flavoring; the seeds have an aromatic flavor and are used in cakes, bread, applesauce, stews, soups, cream or cottage cheese and other foods. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.25

**1307 Basil, Sweet** 85 days. Annual. 1½ to 2 ft. The leaves, green or dried, are chiefly used as a seasoning for soups, stews, fish sauces, vinegar, beans, peas, omelets, salad and meats. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

**1311 Borage** 80 days. Annual. 1½ ft. The young tender leaves are used as salad and are also added to flavor lemonade and other cooling drinks. Faintly aromatic. Splendid as a forage for bees. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

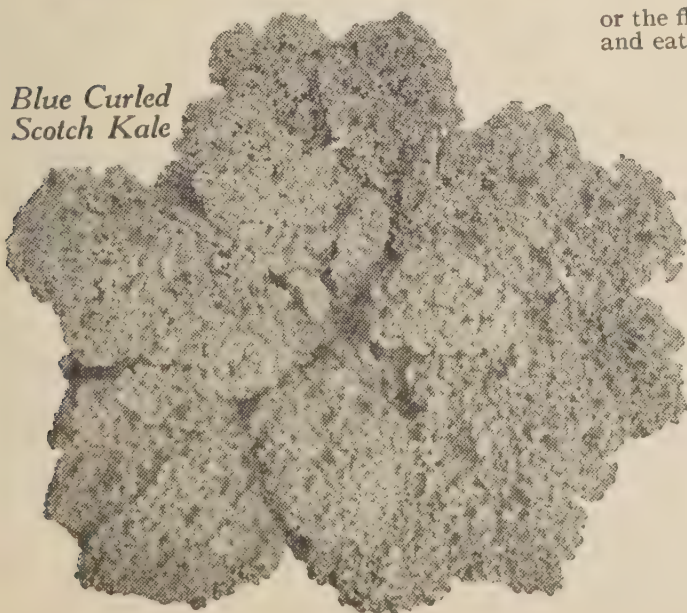
**1313 Caraway** 70 days. Biennial. 1½ to 2 ft. Seeds are used for flavoring bread, pastry, cakes, confections, cheese, sauces, etc.; young leaves and shoots may be used to flavor salads. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢

**1315 Catnip or Catmint** 80 days. Perennial. 1½ to 2 ft. The green or dry leaves are used for seasoning and as tea for nervous headaches. Excellent tonic for animals. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00

**1316 Chives** 80 days. Perennial. 6 in. Tops, finely cut, are used for giving a mild onion-like flavor to soups, stews, meats, potatoes and are also used in salads. Plants grow in clusters. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85



Improved Thick Leaved Dandelion



Blue Curled Scotch Kale

**1317 Coriander** 75 days. Annual. 1 to 2 ft. The green leaves are used in soups, stews and sauces; the dried seeds in meats, sausage, sauces, pickles, poultry filling, confectionery and pastry. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

**1319 Dill** 70 days. Annual. 2 to 2½ ft. The green leaves are nice for flavoring soups, stews and sauces; also used extensively in a minced state with lettuce. The dry or green branches and seeds are much prized for flavoring dill pickles. Very easily grown, popular herb. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢

**1322 Fennel, Florence** Also known as **Finocchio**. 60 days. Annual. 2½ ft. The enlarged, flat-oval leaf base has a pleasing anise-like flavor. Inner sections may be cut in thin slices and used in salads or eaten raw like celery; outer parts and stems should be peeled, cut crosswise into inch pieces and boiled, making a nourishing vegetable dish. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢

**1323 Horehound** 75 days. Perennial. 14 in. Leaves are used for seasoning and in candy or medicine for coughs and colds. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.25

**1326 Lavender, True** 60 days. Perennial. 2 ft. tall. Flowers are dried and placed in the linen closet to impart their perfume to the linens. Also used as a repellent to moths. Sweet scented, light lavender-blue flowers. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.75; oz. \$3.00

**1333 Sage** 75 days. Perennial. 1 to 2 ft. Used as a seasoning for poultry, sausage, other meats, dressings, fillings, stews, soups and sauces, either fresh or dried. Well known. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40

**1335 Summer Savory** 60 days. Annual. 1 ft. Chiefly used for flavoring salads, dressings, stews, and gravies. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢

**1327 Sweet Marjoram** 70 days. Annual. 1 to 2 ft. Nice for seasoning, either fresh or dried in soups, stews, meat pies, salads and in making sausages. Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

**1341 Thyme** 85 days. Perennial. 6 to 12 in. high. Has aromatic foliage which is used for seasoning soups, stews, gravies, sauces and dressings in much the same way as mint. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.20; oz. \$2.25

### 3 Popular Kitchen Herbs

Dill, Sage and Summer Savory

7120—3 Pkts., one of each separate variety, value 40¢ for only 25¢

## DANDELION—Improved, cultivated “greens”

**415 Improved Thick Leaved** 60 days. The large, broad, dark green leaves are used as “greens” for boiling or the flavor may be improved if the leaves are tied together and the hearts bleached and eaten like endive. In good soil, plants attain a spread of 1½ ft. Quick growing. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20; ¼ lb. \$4.00

## KALE—Vitamin-rich green leafy vegetable

Widely used for “boiling greens.” Young leaves may be chopped raw like lettuce for salads and sandwiches. Sow seed in the open from early spring until about three months before your first expected hard frost. The early sowings give fully grown plants, whereas the later sowings will furnish delicious, small, tender leaves for late fall and early winter use. Light frost seems to improve the flavor. Thin or transplant the seedlings to stand 12 in. apart in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart. A pkt. will sow 30 ft. of row; 1 oz. 200 ft.

**447 Blue Curled Scotch** 55 days. Low growing, compact, short-stemmed plants with finely curled, bluish green leaves of delicious flavor. Plants grow 12 to 18 in. tall with a spread of 16 to 24 in. Home and market. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.50; lb. \$4.25

**448 Dwarf Siberian** 65 days. Very hardy, dwarf, spreading kale with broad, thick, grayish green plume-like leaves, plain at center and slightly frilled at edges. Plants grow 12 to 16 in. tall with a spread of 24 to 36 in. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.85; lb. \$3.35





*Early White Vienna Kohlrabi*

## KOHLRABI

The edible portion is a large bulb produced on the stem above the ground and which, if used when young, 2 to 2½ in. across, is most delicious. The sweet, fine-grained flesh has the combined flavor not unlike that of cauliflower and turnip. Sow the seed in rows 12 to 18 in. apart early in the spring and cover ½ in. deep. Thin plants to stand 6 in. apart in the row. For a continuous supply, sow every two weeks until hot weather. For fall use, sow seed in midsummer. Excellent for home and market garden, also for forcing. Cooked kohlrabi may be served with butter, salt and pepper, or with sour cream or white sauce. When young, may be chilled and served raw. A pkt. will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

**456 Early White Vienna** 55 days. The skin is light green and very smooth; the flesh is creamy white, tender and of delicate flavor. Suitable for freezing. Dwarf growing.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

**457 Early Purple Vienna** 60 days. The "apple-like" bulbs are a purplish color and the flesh is an attractive greenish white. Matures five days later than White Vienna but otherwise resembles it in tenderness and fine quality; the bulbs are a trifle larger, leaves are green with purple stems and veins.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70



*Broad London Leek*

## LEEK

### Broad London

**461** Also known as **Large American Flag**. 130 days. Nicely flavored thick stems of the most excellent quality, the white part extending well up the stalks. The long, thick, blanched necks may be used alone or as a thick puree of green peas and leeks. Also highly prized for use in soups, stews, or creamed. It belongs to the onion family, but has a decidedly sweet flavor. Sow seed in early spring in rows 12 to 18 in. apart and cover with ½ in. of fine soil. Thin to 4 to 6 in. apart in the row. Draw earth up around plants when cultivating to blanch as you would celery. Desirable for home or market. A pkt. will sow 25 ft. of row; ½ oz. 100 ft.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

## MUSTARD GREENS

**Highly nutritive green leafy vegetable of fine flavor. May be eaten as a salad or cooked for "greens."**

Sow seed early in the spring and make successive sowings every ten days up to the time the weather gets hot. For fall use, plant three or four times in late summer. Sow in rows 12 to 18 in. apart. Thin plants 5 to 6 in. apart. A pkt. will sow 50 ft. of row; oz. 200 ft.

**647 Burpee's Fordhook Fancy** 40 days. Dark green, deeply curled and fringed leaves curving backward like ostrich plumes. Of mild flavor; for greens or salads. Stands a long time before bolting to seed.  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

**652 Florida Broad Leaf** 43 days. Upright plants. Leaves large, broad and medium green with light green midrib and toothed margins. Desirable for greens because of the ease of preparing the smooth leaves.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

**655 Southern Giant Curled** 35 days. Popular curled-leaf mustard for spring or fall planting. The bright green leaves are of a pleasing, mild flavor and very large; moderately broad, fringed and curled at the margins.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

**653 Tendergreen** 28 days. A rapid growing mustard with large, broad, thick, dark green, rounded leaves, which when cooked have a delicious, mild spinach flavor. Heavy cropper. Resistant to heat and cold.  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢



*Mushrooms, Pure Culture Spawn*

## MUSHROOM

**Pure Culture**

### 9982 Tobacco Stem Spawn

Crumbled Tobacco Stem Spawn is the latest development in the production of Pure Culture Mushroom Spawn. The material is easier to handle, the growth is more vigorous, and results are more certain. Adverse growing conditions are more readily overcome, as the tobacco stem medium is high in food elements needed by the growing mushroom. If you have had indifferent success with mushrooms, try this improved form of spawn. One package will plant 10 to 12 sq. ft. Cultural directions are sent with every package.  
**50¢ per package; 5 pkgs. \$2.30; 10 pkgs. \$4.30**

## OKRA

The pods are valuable for cutting up in soups, stews, catsup and other relishes. Also used as a vegetable when pods are young. Sow in the open ground when soil is warm. A pkt. will sow 15 ft. of row; one oz. 50 ft.

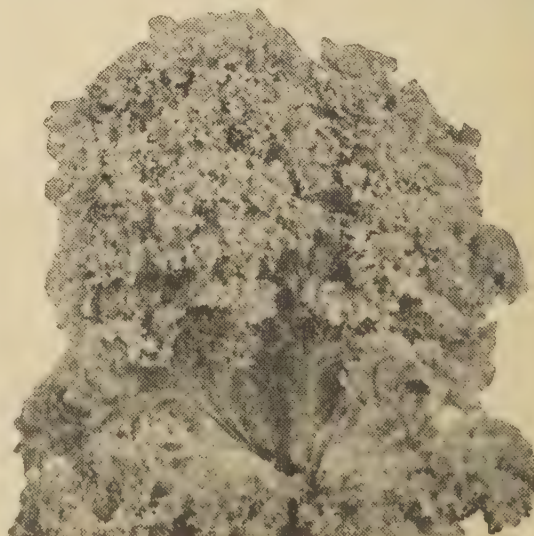
**668 Clemson Spineless** 56 days. Dark green slightly grooved, straight, pointed pods 7 to 9 in. long, without spines. Plants grow 4 ft. tall and produce abundantly.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢

**664 Dwarf Green Long Pod** 52 days. Home garden variety, especially suitable for culture where the season is short. The plants reach a height of 2 to 2½ ft.; pods are dark green, 7 to 8 in. long and 1 in. across at the base.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢

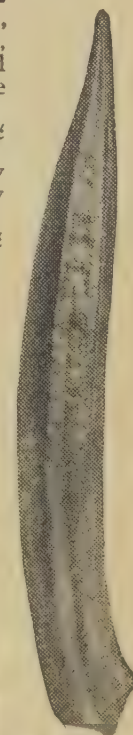
**666 Louisiana Green Velvet** 58 days. Uniform, high yielding, spineless okra that is exceptionally good for canning, market and home gardens. Vigorous tall branching plants with smooth, green pods 6 to 7 in. long, and ½ to ¾ in. in diameter; hold color well when cooked.  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢

**667 Perfected Perkins' Long Pod** 55 days. Also known as **Long Green**. Slender, slightly ribbed, dark green, straight, pointed pods, 7 to 8 in. long if left to grow to maturity; best used when young and tender (not over 3 in.). For home or market garden and canning. 3 to 4 ft. tall.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢

**663 White Velvet** 62 days. Pods are creamy white, 6 to 7 in. long, smooth, tender, slightly curved and pointed. Plants grow 3½ ft. tall.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢



*Burpee's Fordhook Fancy Mustard*



*Clemson Spineless Okra*



# Loosehead or Cutting LETTUCE

The best type for general home garden use, especially in sections where summers are hot.

These do not form solidly folded heads, but where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart, they make a large, round, thick bunch of leaves which are blanched to a light green or creamy yellow in the center of the plant. The leaves are heavily curled or crumpled, attractive in appearance, and of delightful crispness and mild flavor. They are splendid to provide an extra-early supply of delicious salad for, when just a few inches tall, the thinnings may be used for the table.

**493 Black-Seeded Simpson**  
45 days. Splendid non-heading or cutting lettuce with broad, light green, frilled and crumpled outer leaves; center leaves blanch almost white. Grows quickly, is early and of extra fine quality. The texture of the leaves is brittle and crisp. The flavor is delicate and appetizing. We can recommend this variety for any section where lettuce can be grown either for local market or home use.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**490 Early Curled Simpson**  
43 days. Also known as Silesia or White-Seeded Simpson. The large plants have very light green, crumpled and slightly frilled leaves that are tender, succulent, and of decidedly piquant taste. Forms a compact bunch of crisp leaves of excellent flavor. For spring and early summer.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

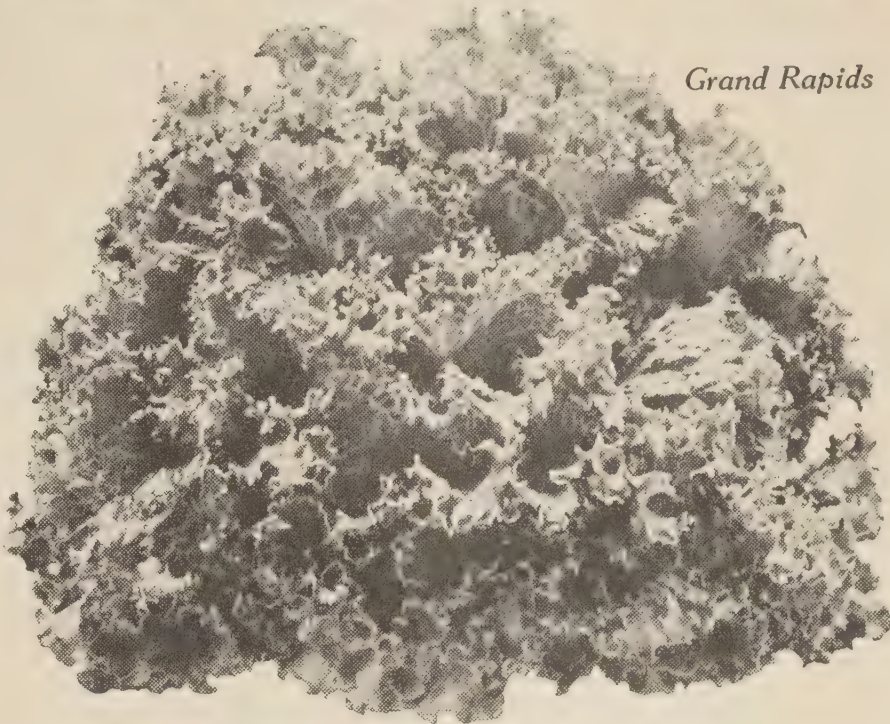
**497 Early Prizehead**—Crisp, sweet  
45 days. One of the most popular varieties, producing large, tender, loose heads of bright green, curled and crimped leaves which are heavily shaded with brownish red. Of excellent flavor. General home garden favorite.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**541 Oak Leaf**—Shaped like oak leaves  
40 days. Forms a tight bunch or rosette of medium green leaves which are deeply lobed, with the end lobe elongated, giving the plant a spiky appearance. Extremely tender, long standing and of the most excellent quality.  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

**535 Bronze Beauty** ☉  
40 days. One of the best leaf lettuces for home gardens. Leaves are small and long in shape, sharply cut, dark green in color, tinged with bronze, very tender and of unusually fine butter-like flavor. Is resistant to hot weather; easy to grow and remarkably uniform. Its attractive coloring makes it desirable for decorative as well as edible purposes. Again, for garnishing purposes and for use in mixed salads and sandwiches, the bronze-tinged leaf gives an unusual coloring that adds substantially to the appetizing appearance of the food. Long standing. Good quality.  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75



Bronze Beauty



Grand Rapids

**485 Grand Rapids** ☉—Excellent quality  
45 days. Widely grown non-heading lettuce with intensely fringed and curled leaves. Used extensively for forcing in the greenhouse during winter, and is just as valuable for growing outdoors during the spring, summer, and fall. Regular sowing will give an abundance of young, tender leaves very early in the season, but if the plants are spaced 12 in. apart each way, they will produce immense round masses of sweet, juicy, brittle, light green leaves of good flavor. The most popular loosehead.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

**489 Slobolt**—Long standing; resists heat. Tender  
45 days. Develops well in hot weather without producing seed stalks as quickly as other varieties. Withstands mid-summer temperatures without going to seed for two or three weeks longer than Grand Rapids, Black-Seeded Simpson and Prizehead. Foliage is light green, savoyed and frilled; tender and sweet. Great favorite.  
Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$2.00

**3 of the Best Lettuces**

Burpee's Wayahead (Butterhead), Burpee's Iceberg (Crisp-head) and Oak Leaf (Loosehead or Cutting)

7056—3 Pkts., one each of these 3 distinct kinds, value 45¢ for only **30¢**

**482 Chicken Lettuce**  
40 days. Non-heading lettuce, quite different from those used for human food. The plants grow 4 ft. tall before they run to seed. Planted extensively for feeding poultry and rabbits. After cutting, the stumps will start to grow again, thus you will harvest another crop of large, tender, nutritious leaves for feeding within a short time. Produces most leaves of all lettuce. Not desirable for table use.  
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**How to Grow Lettuce**

Lettuce grows best during the cool seasons of the year, and in a rich, moist, cool soil, so that the seed should be sown thinly in the spring as soon as the soil can be worked, in rows 1½ ft. apart; cover with ½ in. of fine soil. Several successive sowings may follow about two weeks apart, then discontinue sowings until late summer when they may be made to provide lettuce during the fall. Thin seedlings to stand 1 ft. apart. A pkt. will sow 50 ft. of row; 1 oz. 300 ft.

All-America  
Bronze Medal  
Winner



# Burpee's Crisp-Head LETTUCE

*Great Lakes*



Crisp-head lettuce forms tightly folded heads and, where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart, they make very large, round, solid heads which are blanched silvery white or creamy yellow in the center. Will stand more heat than the butterheads.

## 542 Bibb—*Earliest*

78 days. Superb quality, home garden, small, heavy head lettuce, the outer leaves deep waxy green tinged with brown; interior bleaches to a rich, yellowish green. Crisp, tender and with a distinct flavor that is most pleasing. Excellent for spring planting; also desirable to sow in late summer so as to have delicious salad in the fall. Take up little space.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

## 530 Burpee's Iceberg

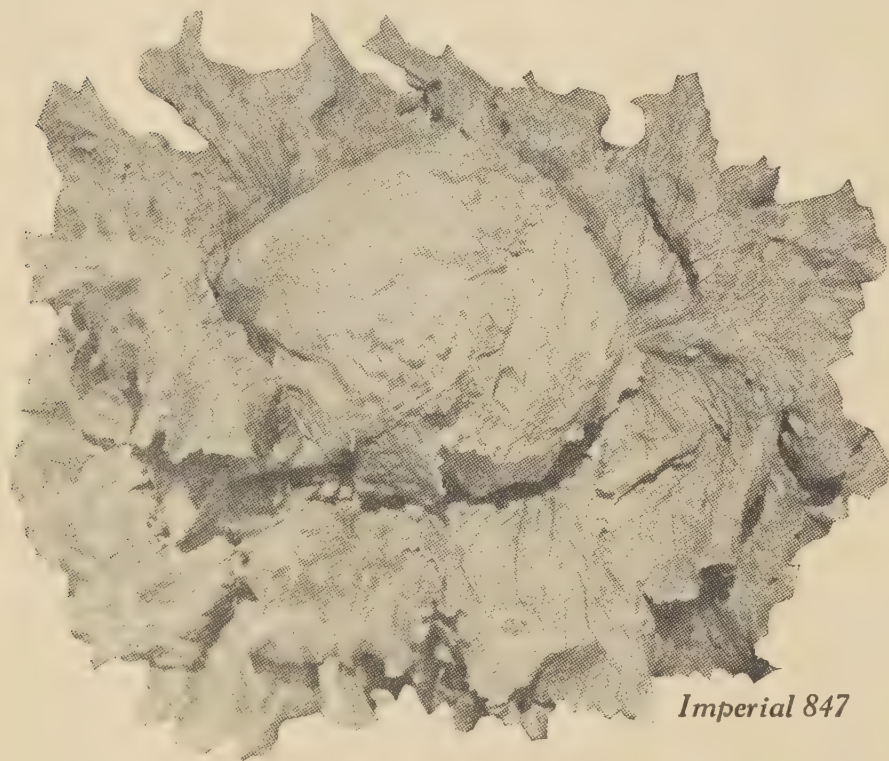
85 days. Light green, wavy, fringed and heavily savoyed leaves with edges tinged with light brown. The heads are compact, not too large, and have few outer leaves and most delicious, crisp, tender hearts blanched to a silvery white even under average garden conditions. Will withstand some hot weather so is suited to Eastern and Midwestern growing conditions. Vigorous grower. Different from New York which is commonly called Iceberg in the produce and shipping trade.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

## 532 Great Lakes ☉—*All-America Winner*

90 days. Exceptionally choice, large, dark green fringed lettuce, especially valuable as a home and market garden summer variety because it stands heat and succeeds under a wide range of conditions. Heavy, glistening, crackling, crisp, well-folded heads of extra good quality, fine flavor and texture.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75



*Imperial 847*

## 522 Hanson—*Dependable header*

85 days. Grows into a quite broad, slightly flattened head of beautiful light green, savoyed and curled leaves of crisp texture. Entirely free from any bitter taste, of the highest quality—mild, tender, juicy and well blanched. Its reliability for sure heading, even during midsummer, is widely known and has given it much of its deserved popularity. Wonderful for home garden.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

## 531 Imperial 44 ☉—*Hard heads*

84 days. Sure header, even during hot, dry weather, and of great commercial value. To date, Imperial 44 is the most dependable crisp lettuce for the East. Heads medium large, slightly flattened, extremely compact, well-formed, dark green, heavily savoyed. White seeded.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

## 533 Imperial 456—*Attractive*

90 days. More resistant to tipburn than any other variety and especially recommended for growing on muck soil for maturity during the late summer months. Heads are medium size, dark green, frilled and somewhat flat.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 529 Imperial 847 ☉

84 days. Heat-resistant strain with nearly as much ability to head under unfavorable conditions as Imperial 44. The head is larger and deeper and it retains its marketable appearance longer than that variety. Black seeded.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

## 523 New York 12

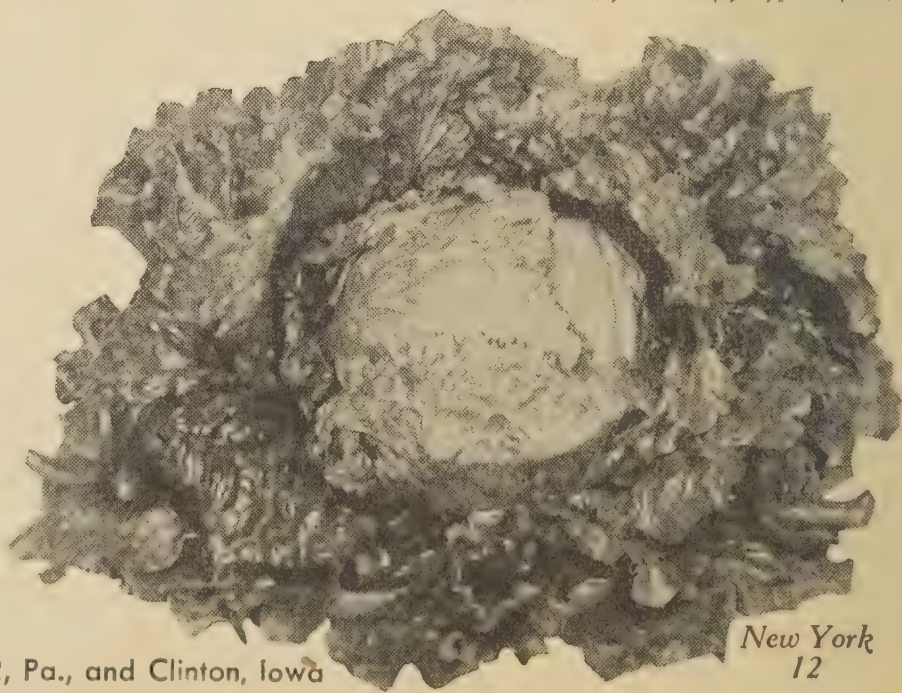
85 days. The standard crisp-head lettuce with large heads of dark green, heavily curled and savoyed leaves with blanched, silvery white, tightly folded heart. May be grown outdoors for spring, summer and fall use.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

## 526 New York 515

83 days. Heads are large, solid, firm, bright green in color, bleaching to an appetizing white; always crisp, juicy and sweet. Has been bred for resistance to tipburn. Stands hot weather remarkably well; is a dependable producer.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35



*New York 12*



# Burpee's Butterhead LETTUCE

Butterhead lettuce develops solid heads of good form and resembles a small cabbage in appearance. The heart is tightly folded and blanches to a light golden or buttery yellow. In hot weather sections, they may not head as readily as the crisp-head varieties, but will grow rapidly and produce tender, tasty leaves of delicious flavor. This group includes a number of well-known varieties.

## 476 Burpee's Wayahead ☉

77 days. Highly recommended as a spring and fall lettuce for planting in the open or in frames. It is a vigorous, healthy variety, forming plants of medium size with shiny, bright green blistered foliage and few outer leaves. The buttery heart is a beautiful creamy yellow. Heads well under adverse conditions making it a favorite for home and near-by market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

## 475 Big Boston—Popular

83 days. Medium large, attractive heads, the outer leaves being light green, smooth, and tinged reddish brown at the edges; heart blanches to light golden yellow. Heads particularly well during cool weather. White Boston is similar but free from red tinge.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

## 543 Deer Tongue—Unusual

80 days. Leaves are oblong to triangular in shape with rounded tip, slightly blistered or savoyed, attractive green and of excellent quality, with a thick, succulent mid-rib. Fully grown plants are of compact, upright growth, 12 in. across, 6 to 7 in. high.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

## 474 Early May King

75 days. Quick growing; medium-size, compact, tightly folded heads, the light green outer leaves slightly edged with brown. The inside of the head is bright yellow while the heart is blanched to a delightful light creamy yellow color; very crisp and tender. Valuable for outdoors or for forcing.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢



White  
Boston

## 480 White Boston ☉—Free from red tinge

80 days. The large heads are tightly folded over the top so that the solid heart blanches to a bright creamy yellow of high quality and fine texture. The outer leaves are a uniform light green entirely free from brown markings or reddish tinge. Used extensively for home gardens and market plantings, large or small. The seed is white.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

503 MIXED LETTUCE *Home* should appeal to home gardeners who care to make **Sorry — Cannot Supply** it who do not have included the best kinds of the bi *loose-leaf and oak-leaf types.*

# Cos or Romaine Lettuce

Much esteemed for its fresh crispness and mild flavor. Widely grown in the northern states to provide a crop of tightly folded, elongated heads for home and market. It is also used in some sections for greenhouse planting.



Burpee's Celtuce

539 Paris White 83 days. (Light Green) The most largely used of the Cos lettuce varieties. It is crisp, has a refreshing, sweet flavor, and does not need tying up in order to blanch the heart. Compact, erect plants, 10 in. tall, with medium green outer leaves and whitish green interior.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

540 Dark Green 84 days. Self-folded head, which is well blanchd, loaf shaped, of tender and luscious quality. When fully blanchd, the green leaves, which are 7 to 8 in. in height, are white with only the faintest tinge of green, and the mid ribs are white at heart. Exceptionally crisp.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢



Paris White  
Cos Lettuce

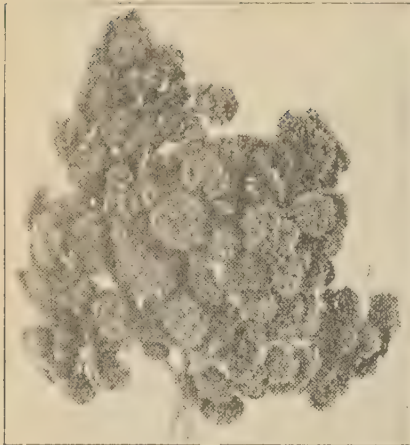
## Burpee's CELTUCE Combines the uses and flavors of CELery and LETTUCE

290 Burpee's Celtuce belongs to the lettuce family but is entirely different in its growth and uses. When plants are young, the leaves may be used as lettuce or as boiling "greens," but its chief value is its central stem or stalk. Whether celtuce stalks are to be eaten raw or cooked, you remove the lower leaves and then cut off all the outer skin and fibrous layers down to where they become light green and tender. Cooked celtuce stalks have a pleasing, mild flavor suggestive of celery. Young leaves have four times the vitamin C content of head-lettuce leaves.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 35¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.00



# PARSLEY



*Extra Curled Dwarf Parsley*

Easy to grow in the garden or in pots during winter. Does well in either sun or shade and does not require any particular kind of soil. Mostly used green, but the leaves may be dried and kept in air-tight bottles for winter use. A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 200 ft. of row.

## 720 Paramount

70 days. Produces the handsomest, finest and most uniformly curled, dark green leaves. Tall, stout stems make it fine for bunching.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10

**717 Extra Curled Dwarf** 70 days. Also known as **Emerald**. Has moss-like leaves of an attractive dark green color; very finely cut and curled. Desirable for garnishing. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**714 Plain or Single** 60 days. Plain dark green deeply cut, flat but not curled leaves with rich flavor. Used for seasoning. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**723 Parsnip-Rooted or Hamburg** 90 days. Has plain leaves, which can be used just like ordinary parsley, but is principally grown for the thick, fleshy roots which are used for flavoring soups, stews, etc., like celery or celeriac. The roots grow 8 to 10 in. long. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

# PARSNIPS

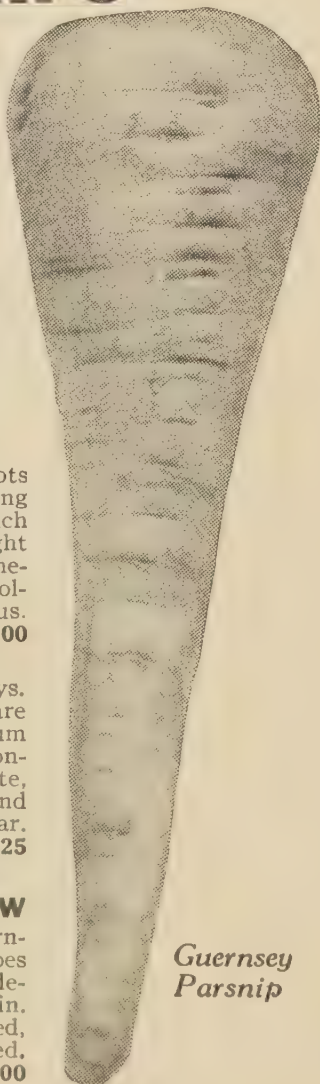
Tender and delicious late in the fall, especially after a frost which adds sweetness to the flavor. A favorite way to serve parsnips is to parboil them, turn gently in brown sugar and butter so as to glaze them to an appetizing reddish gold and serve with broiled ham.

Sow seed early in the spring in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart and cover with ½ in. of fine soil. Thin seedlings to stand 4 to 6 in. apart in the row. A pkt. will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. to 200 ft. Roots may be stored for winter use, or some may be left in the ground all winter for use early the following spring as soon as you can dig them.

**725 Guernsey** 100 days. Roots grow 12 in. long and 3 in. across the broad shoulder, which gradually tapers downward. Skin is light in color and quite smooth; flesh is fine-grained, tender and sweet. Crown is hollow; top is strong. Nutritious and delicious. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**724 All American** 95 days. Roots are smooth, slender, almost white, of medium length, broad shouldered and exceptionally free from side rootlets. Flesh is white, with small core, tender, fine flavor and superb quality. Has become very popular. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**727 Long Smooth Hollow Crown** 105 days. Longer than Guernsey but not so broad. Does best in deeply prepared soil. Fully developed roots grow 15 in. long and 2¾ in. thick at the shoulder; flesh is fine-grained, white and of superior flavor. Widely used. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

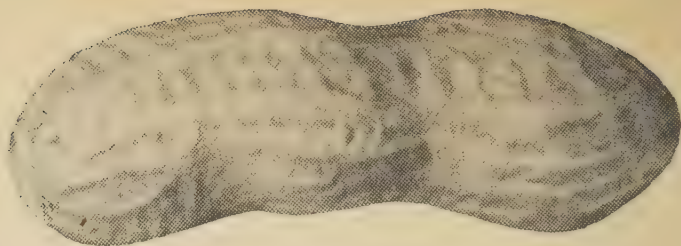


*Guernsey Parsnip*

# SUNFLOWER

**1065 Mammoth Russian** 80 days. Immense heads, which produce more seed per acre than any other variety. The striped seeds are plump, well filled with meat, and have a thin shell; make valuable food for poultry. Stalks are quite tall, often growing up to 10 ft. Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

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*Jumbo Virginia Peanut*

# PEANUTS *Top ranking protein foods*

Roasted peanuts, salted peanuts, peanut butter and peanut candies are well known to all of us. Have you ever tried them baked as you would beans? Leave skins on or take them off; they are, however, more palatable if skins are removed.

For best results select warm, light or sandy soil rich in lime. Plant in rows 2½ to 3 ft. apart, spacing the shelled nuts 8 to 10 in. apart in the row, or place them 16 to 18 in. apart in the row if planted in the hulls. Cover with 2 in. of soil. Cultivate and hoe freely. In the fall, before frost, dig and hang vines under a shed or in an airy room to cure. One pkt. will sow from 15 to 25 ft. of row; 1 lb. from 100 to 200 ft. according to method used in planting. Peanuts are shipped in the hull to prevent damage to the tender seeds. They can be planted either shelled or whole.

**712 Jumbo Virginia** 120 days. Most productive, extra large peanut of rich flavor, with 2 or 3 large kernels to the pod. Vines 3½ ft. across; make valuable fodder. Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢

**713 Spanish** 110 days. The dwarf bushes grow close, so are easily cultivated and gathered. Kernels are small and very sweet. Early. Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢

# SALSIFY

## or OYSTER PLANT

**983 Sandwich Island Mammoth** 120 days. Smooth, thick roots 8 in. and more in length, 1 to 1½ in. in diameter at shoulder, slightly tapering, clean cut and uniform. Flesh is almost white. Delicious when made into soup, pancakes, fritters, diced or mashed; may also be cooked, chilled and served as a salad. Flavor is not unlike that of oysters.

Sow seed in early spring in rows 1½ ft. apart and cover with 1 in. of fine soil. Thin the seedlings to stand 4 to 5 in. apart. They are hardy and some may be left in the ground over winter for early spring use. For winter use, dig roots in the fall and store in moist sand in a cool cellar. Best roots are grown on rather light soil. A pkt. will sow about 20 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.30



*Sandwich Island Mammoth Salsify*

# SORREL

**988 Narrow Leaved** 60 days. The leaves are long, narrow, and pale green. Cutting may begin in about 2 months after planting. Being hardy, the plants will continue to produce leaves for 3 or 4 years. Excellent in salads, for flavoring soups, or cooked as you would spinach. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

# TOBACCO

Sow seed very thinly in frames or a well-prepared seed bed. Do not cover seed, but press it gently into the soil. A pkt. will produce 200 plants; oz. 5000; 2 ozs. produce enough plants for an acre.

**1349 Havana** An Americanized Havana with large, long leaves of fine texture and delightful flavor. It is one of the earliest and largely used for cigar wrappers. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢

**1374 Improved Connecticut Seed Leaf** Has an attractive leaf of choice texture and is very desirable for cigars. Well adapted to the Middle and Northern States. Ripens uniformly; a very desirable variety. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢

**1357 Improved White Burley** Easy to cure, and produces a heavy yield of rich bright leaves. The seeds have been treated by a special process to prevent any disease germs being carried into the seed bed. Strong stalks. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢



# Burpee's WATERMELONS

Ice cold watermelon is a much welcomed treat during the hot summer days. Take your choice of round, oval, or long shaped melons and pink, red or golden yellow flesh. If you live in the north, plant the quickest maturing varieties (Early Northern Sweet, Fordhook Early). For preserves, sweet pickles and candied fruit, grow Colorado Preserving Citron.

## 609 Kleckley's Sweet Improved ☉

88 days. Also known as **Wondermelon**. A large melon that is distinct from Kleckley Sweets in that it has a tougher rind which makes it ideal for long distance shipping. The skin is attractive, solid, bluish-green color. Flesh is dark red, of fine texture, juicy, and delectable flavor. Fruits grow 12 in. in diameter, 24 in. long and weigh up to 40 lbs. each. Splendid for home garden as well as for market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**611 Burpee's Halbert Honey ☉** 87 days. Fruits are large, measuring 18 to 20 in. in length, 12 in. in diameter, and weigh up to 30 lbs. each. Skin is a beautiful deep green with fine veining, and the flesh is bright crimson, crisp, and of a remarkably luscious flavor. Rind is thin, making this melon unsuitable for distant shipping; but few varieties can compare with it for home gardens, roadside stands or for nearby markets. One of the sweetest melons.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**588 Burpee's Fordhook Early** 83 days. A most excellent, quick growing watermelon which will mature in sections too cool for most varieties. Fruits are large, slightly oval in shape, and about 25 lbs. in weight. The dark green skin is faintly marked with a darker green mottling. Sugary sweet, rich pink flesh. Popular for home and early market trade, especially in the North because of its early maturity.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**590 Cole's Early** 84 days. Known as **Harris' Earliest**. A most popular early, high quality home-garden melon of medium size, nearly round with dark green skin striped lighter green; flesh is deep pink. Average weight, 20 lbs. Particularly desirable for sections having a short growing season.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**604 Dixie Queen** 90 days. Fruits are round to slightly oblong, 12 in. across, 15 in. long, averaging 30 to 35 lbs. each. Has light green skin with irregular stripes of dark green. Flesh is brilliant red, of fine texture and excellent quality; quite free from fibre and good clear to the rind, which is thin but tough, so stands shipping. Seeds are small and white.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**641 Early Kansas** 80 days. A new, early watermelon that has become increasingly popular in the Midwest for the home garden, local market and shipping. Fruits weigh 20 to 30 lbs., are round to oval in shape; skin is bright green with broad lighter green wavy stripes. Rind is thin but tough; flesh is firm, deep red, free from stringy heart; fine texture and flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**589 Early Northern Sweet** 78 days. Especially adapted to our Northern States and the Canadian Provinces. Fruits are small, weigh 10 to 12 pounds, nearly round, medium-green with a suggestion of darker green striping. The flesh is bright pink and of good flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

**610 Florida Giant ☉** 90 days. Fruits average 35 lbs. when well grown, oval in shape, 14 in. in length and 12 in. in depth. They have a thick, dark green rind; the flesh is brilliant pink and of excellent flavor. Ships well.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**644 Luscious Golden Sweet** 83 days. Delicious **golden yellow** flesh and unusual sugary flavor. It is as good as any of the red-fleshed varieties; many claim it is better. The skin is dark green and the rind is very thin. Melons grow 18 in. long, 10 in. across and weigh 20 to 25 lbs. Desirable for home use or local market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**623 Stone Mountain** 88 days. Known as **Dixie Belle**. High quality oval-round watermelon with grayish green smooth skin and beautiful deep crimson flesh without any white or stringiness in the heart. The average melon weighs about 45 lbs. It is fine for home use and markets where a nearly round, very sweet, fine grained melon is desired.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**613 Tom Watson** 95 days. A tough rind shipping melon that grows exceptionally large—20 in. in length and 12 in. in diameter. Dark green skin; deep red, firm flesh of luscious sweetness. Often weigh 35 lbs. Quality is good.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢



Dixie Queen

## DISEASE RESISTANT WATERMELONS

If you have not been able to grow melons, because disease prevented non-resistant varieties from producing a crop, try these:

## 600 Dixie Queen, Wilt Resistant ☉

90 days. Fruits are similar to original Dixie Queen in color of skin, light green striped dark green; in size, 15 in. long and 12 in. across; in weight, 30 to 35 lbs. and the flesh is just as delicious—deep red when ripe, extremely sweet and free from fibre. Seeds are white but two to three times the size of regular Dixie Queen. Vines are highly resistant to wilt. Thin, tough rind.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

**619 Blacklee** 95 days. A fusarium wilt resistant variety marketed by some growers as Improved Watson. Fruits weigh 40 lbs. or more, are long, dark green with a thin but firm rind making suitable for long distance shipment. Flesh is rich red, finely grained, of smooth, crisp texture, free from stringiness, of good flavor, and high in sugar content. Vigorous.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**615 Black Kleckley** 80 days. Prolific, early melon, highly resistant to both fusarium wilt and anthracnose. Skin is so dark as to appear black, rind is tough, flesh is of excellent quality, deep red and very sweet. Weigh 15 to 25 lbs., mostly oblong. Fine for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**642 Hawkesbury** 85 days. Highly resistant to wilt. Fruits are large, weighing 25 to 40 lbs., oblong, sloping toward both ends, light gray-green, tough rind with slight veining; glowing in appearance. Flesh is dark red, sweet, and of good quality. A dependable producer for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**607 Kleckley No. 6** 90 days. Wilt resistant melon developed by the Iowa State Agricultural Experiment Station. It is of the same type as Kleckley's Sweet with all its fine qualities and size to which wilt resistance has been added. Especially valuable for market and home gardeners who have not been able to grow melons successfully. Weight 30 lbs.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## How to Grow Watermelons

Plant seed after all danger of frost has passed and the soil has become thoroughly warm. Place 6 to 8 seeds in groups, allowing 2 to 3 in. between the seeds and space the groups 6 to 8 ft. apart each way. Cover seed with ½ in. of fine soil. Thin to 2 or 3 plants in each group after plants are well established. Rich, rather sandy soils produce the finest watermelons, but a well-drained loam is also suitable. A pkt. will plant 6 groups or so-called "hills"; 1 oz. about 30 groups.

## 645 COLORADO PRESERVING CITRON

90 days. Not edible as fresh fruit, but the solid white flesh is used for preserves, sweet pickles, and candied fruit. Melons are round, light green, with heavy, broad, dark green stripes. Flesh is white and solid. They weigh about 10 lbs. each. Productive.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

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# MUSKMELONS (CANTALOUPE)

To really enjoy a muskmelon, fruits should be allowed to fully ripen on the vine for, with the exception of Honey Dew, they do not become sweeter in flavor after being picked. Fruits are ripe when the stem, attached to the melon, will slip from it with a slight touch of the thumb. If the stem does not slip off easily, the melon is not ripe and should remain on the vine. Many persons can select ripe melons by their aroma. We offer the best varieties.



Burpee's  
Netted Gem

## 544 Burpee's Netted Gem ☉

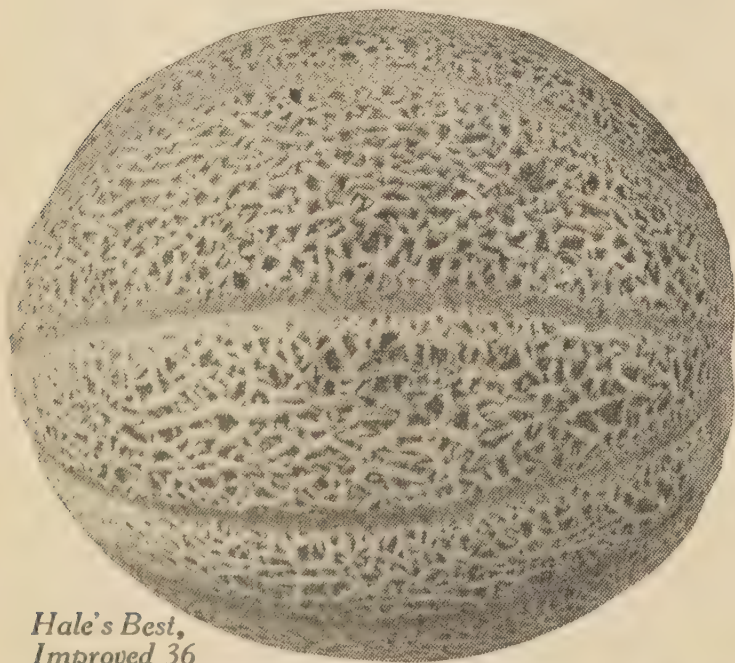
85 days. (*Green Flesh*) The variety grown at Rocky Ford, Colorado, under the name of Rocky Ford, is the Netted Gem which Burpee had the distinction of originating and introducing in 1881. A pure Rocky Ford Cantaloupe, when ripe, has a silver-colored netting which is lace-like in appearance. The skin is green, turning to a peculiar gray color when the melons are fit for eating. The flesh is green and so sweet and luscious that it may be eaten close to the rind. Fruits are oval-shaped, firm and solid, weigh  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 lbs., slightly ribbed; medium-size seed cavity.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 551 Hale's Best 936 — Heavy cropper

85 days. (*Salmon-orange Flesh*) One of the most widely grown strains of Hale's Best. Developed from Improved 36, it possesses all the outstanding features of that special strain and, in addition, is somewhat larger, running to even jumbo sizes.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50



Hale's Best,  
Improved 36

## 552 Hale's Best, Improved 36 ☉

85 days. (*Salmon-orange Flesh*) One of the early selections made in America's No. 1 shipping melon, Hale's Best. Plants are vigorous and prolific. Fruits round-oval in shape, weigh 3 to 4 lbs. each, grow 6 in. long,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. The heavy netting is uniformly distributed over the surface; flesh is salmon-orange, very thick, firm, finely grained, sweet and spicy with small seed cavity. Keeps its quality for a long time. A leading variety for long distance shipping; valuable for market and home gardens.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 548 Pride of Fordhook—Extra choice

95 days. (*Orange Flesh*) Developed on Fordhook Farms. The large fruits are oval to nearly round in shape and weigh 4 to 5 lbs. each. The rind is a blue-gray prior to full edible stage, at which time the color changes to a golden yellow. The orange flesh is thick, solid, ripens right down to the rind. Seed cavity is small. Unexcelled for home and market where a melon with its length of season will mature.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75

## 564 Bender's Surprise — Very large

96 days. (*Salmon Flesh*) Delicious, large, oblong, greenish yellow melon, 8 in. long, 7 in. across, with an exquisite netting. Attractive salmon-colored flesh of superb-sweet flavor. For the home garden, local market, roadside stands and for shipping short distances. Excellent.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25

## 574 Burpee's Fordhook—Spicy

85 days. (*Orange Flesh*) A small flattened melon with prominent ribs and broad gray netting. The flesh is bright orange, medium thick, fairly firm, sweet, spicy, with a high aroma. An early, productive, popular melon of convenient size for home and near-by market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 547 Delicious ☉ — Superior quality

86 days. (*Orange Flesh*) Melons grow 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 in. long. Moderately ribbed and closely netted. Flesh is bright orange, sweet and delicious in flavor. Not suitable for long distance shipping. Heavy yielder of fruits that weigh about 5 lbs. each.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 583 New Yorker — An excellent keeper

90 days. (*Salmon Flesh*) Known as **Schoon's Hard Shell Bender**. Similar to Bender's Surprise in shape and general appearance, with the added advantage of possessing an extra-hard shell, making it a good shipping variety. Fully ripe fruits keep better after harvest or stand longer in the field than most varieties. Fruits are deeply ribbed, well netted over a yellow skin and weigh from 5 to 8 lbs. The salmon flesh is wonderfully sweet and of very fine quality.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 560 Pride of Wisconsin—Firm flesh

92 days. (*Orange Flesh*) A melon which in a few years has become a premium priced variety in large Eastern markets. Pride of Wisconsin deserves a premium price. It has unsurpassed quality, large size, firm, thick orange flesh, strong rind, and heavy netting. Vines are vigorous and very productive considering the size of the melons. Fruits are nearly round,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  by 7 in., and weigh 4 to 5 lbs. The rind is blue-gray, turning golden when ripe, with sparse but prominent and clear-cut netting. Ribs are faint or entirely lacking. Flesh is of excellent flavor and edible to the rind. The triangular seed cavity is quite compact.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25

## 584 Tip Top — For home and local markets

96 days. (*Salmon Flesh*) Splendid melon, varying in shape from round to slightly oblong; average  $6\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. The pale green skin is ribbed and lightly netted. Delicious, deep salmon, sweet, spicy, firm flesh.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 40¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20

## 555 Honey Dew — Good keeper and shipper

110 days. (*Green Flesh*) The well-known light green-fleshed melon for warm climates; will not do well in the North or East. Smooth, ivory-colored skin when ripe; very sweet, juicy flesh clean to the rind.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25

### How to Grow Muskmelons

The most suitable soil is a rich, warm, sandy loam. Sow the seed after the ground has warmed up, putting 8 to 10 seeds in groups, allowing 2 to 3 in. between the seeds and cover with 1 in. of fine soil. The groups should be spaced 4 to 6 ft. apart each way. Thin to 2 or 3 plants to a group after the plants are well established. Well-rotted manure dug into the soil where seeds are to be planted and side dressings of commercial fertilizer after the plants have begun to grow are usually beneficial. A pkt. will plant 12 groups, 1 oz. 50 groups or so-called "hills", —a term that is misleading to many gardeners.



# MUSKMELONS—continued

## 571 Hearts of Gold ☉ — Very sweet

90 days. (Orange Flesh) Medium-size melons are of slightly elongated shape, 5 in. in diameter and 6 in. in length, nicely netted and weigh 3 lbs. each. The rich, deep orange flesh is of the sweetest flavor, very thick, and ripens close to the rind. It is a heavy cropper; popular with home and market gardeners. A sufficiently firm rind makes it excellent for shipping.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

## 567 Imperial 45 — Mildew-resistant

90 days. (Orange Flesh) An outstanding melon in which powdery mildew resistance and high quality have been successfully combined. A most popular commercial variety because it can be picked at mature stage for distant shipping. Fruits are oval, 6 in. long, with thick, light orange flesh. Dependable quality melon for the home garden as well as for commercial plantings.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

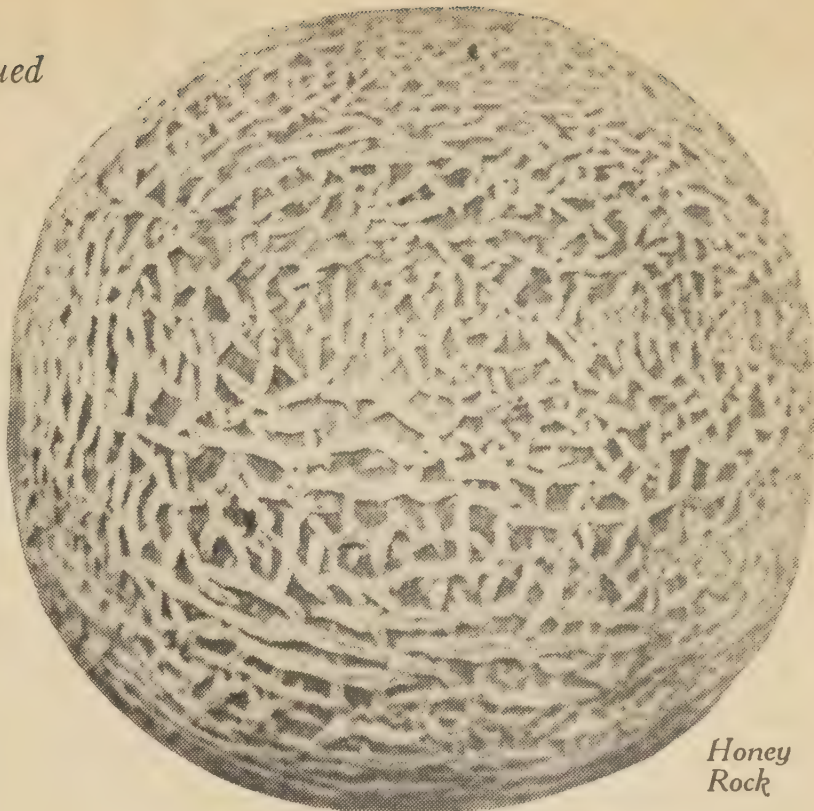
## 561 Lake Champlain — The earliest

82 days. (Orange Flesh) Also known as **Golden Champlain**. Melons are almost round, 6 in. across, 5½ in. deep, moderately netted and deeply ribbed. Flesh is thick, sweet and golden orange. Because of its early maturity and good quality, it is especially valuable for home and market in northern or mountain sections where growing seasons are short. Flavor is good.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

### Have a Garden This Year

Half the pleasure of gardening is spent in planning it in detail. Go through this catalog now and check the varieties you want to see growing in your garden. Then go through the book again, for we are sure you will want to grow others. As soon as list is completed, let us have your order. It's a wise gardener who has his seeds on hand ready to plant at the proper time.



Honey Rock

## 569 Honey Rock ☉ — Special strain

85 days. (Salmon Flesh) Also called **Sugar Rock**. Fruits are medium size with gray-green skin and heavy, coarse netting. The deeply colored salmon flesh is deliciously sweet, with a fine, smooth texture and flavor all its own. The fruits are almost round, 5½ in. in diameter, and due to the thick flesh are quite heavy, weighing about 3 lbs. each. Well adapted to growing in the home garden and the leading commercial variety in some sections. Productive, early, excellent melon.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

# ONION and GARLIC SETS

Orders for Onion and Garlic Sets cannot be accepted after May 1

It pays to plant Burpee's sets of the best quality which are produced under ideal conditions from a select strain of seed, carefully screened and stored at the proper temperature until they are sent to you. One lb. of onion sets will plant 50 ft. of row.

Onion and garlic sets should be planted as early in the spring as the soil can be worked. Short cultural directions are given below; full directions are sent with every order.

*Because of State law, we regret we are unable to ship onion sets to California.*

**9967 Yellow Onion Sets** These sets will mature into large, handsome, globe-shaped onions with bright golden yellow skin and creamy white, mild flesh. May be used in the spring as green bunching onions. Fully matured bulbs are reliable keepers for winter storing. Lb. 45¢; 2 lbs. 85¢; 5 lbs. \$2.00

**9968 White Onion Sets** Produces round, slightly flattened, silvery white, mild onions of the highest quality. Desirable for green or bunching onions quite early in the season and are excellent for pickling when small. They will, of course, produce large onions which if left to fully mature will keep for some time in good condition. Lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

### How to Plant Onion and Garlic Sets

**Onion Sets.** Make furrows about 1 in. deep, into which lightly press the sets but do not cover them. Space sets 3 in. apart in rows 12 to 24 in. apart, depending on method of cultivation to be used.

**Garlic Sets.** Each set or bulb is made up of several sections called cloves held together by a thin paper covering. Before planting, separate each set and plant the cloves 4 to 6 in. apart in rows 1½ to 3 ft. apart. Cover with 1 in. of fine soil.

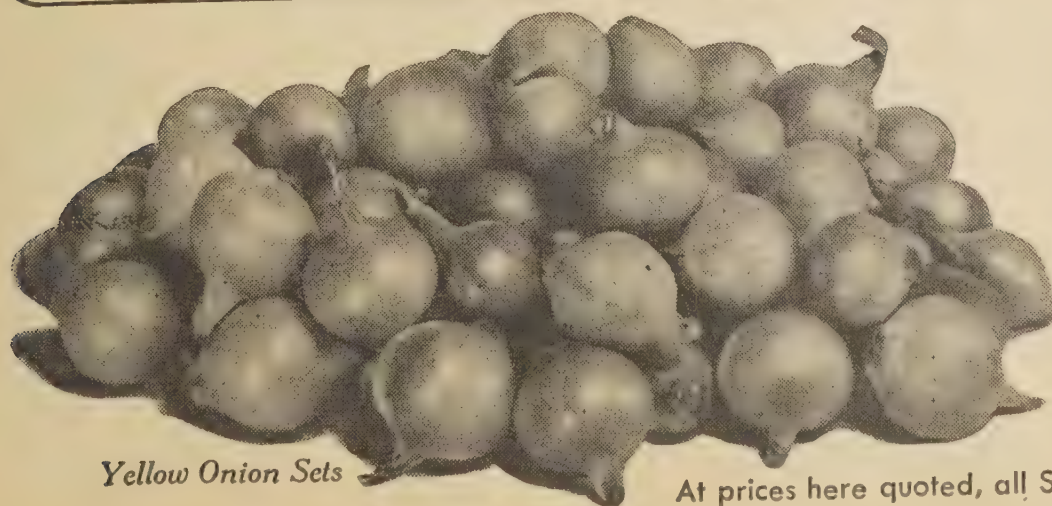


## 9975 GARLIC SETS

*Extra select California grown*

Garlic is the most pungent of the onion family, and is used for flavoring soups, stews, sausages and salad dressings. Sets are easily grown and may be kept without any trouble for use during the winter. We supply mother bulbs as pictured above; it is necessary to separate the cloves before planting which is very easily done.

Lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$3.00



Yellow Onion Sets

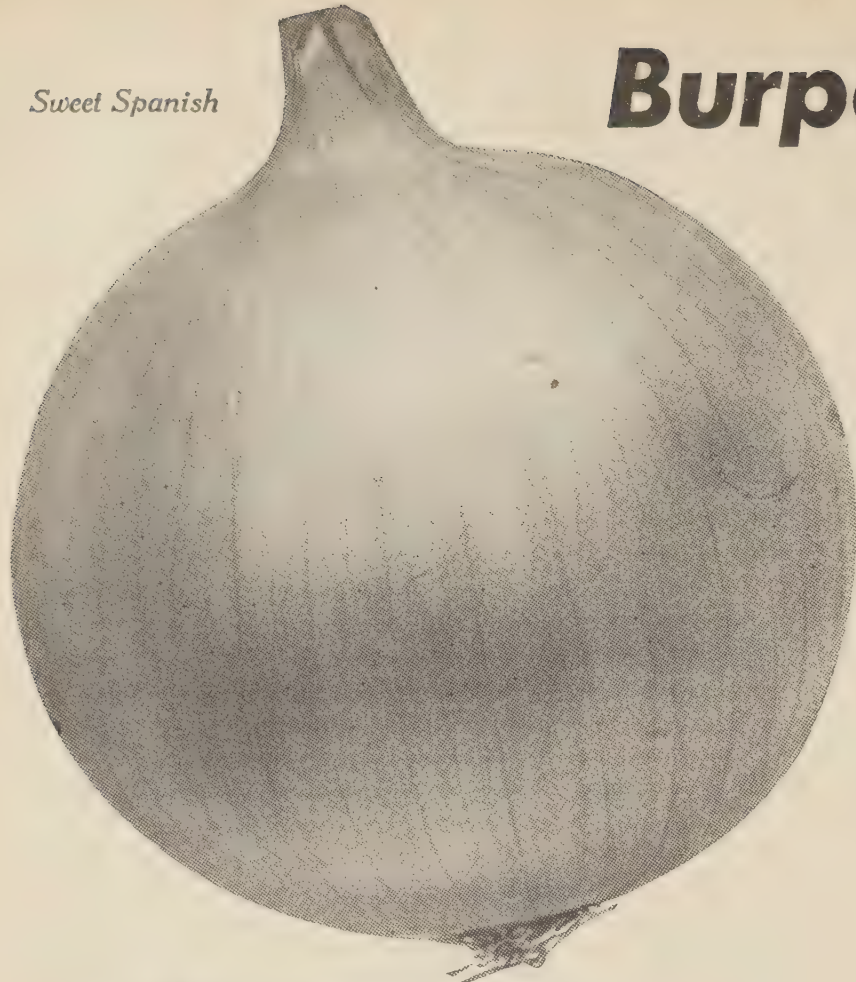
*For large quantities of onion and garlic sets, write for special prices.*

At prices here quoted, all Sets are sent Postpaid in U. S. . . 89



*Sweet Spanish*

# Burpee's ONIONS



For flavoring salads, raw or cooked vegetables, soups, sauces, stews, etc., or served as a separate vegetable, onions are universally popular. A large selection of varieties from which to choose—round or flat in shape, mild or fairly strong in flavor, and white, yellow or red colored skin although the flesh of all is white. For green onions or large onions, you have your choice of sowing seeds or planting sets. You may pull green onions as needed before the bulb enlarges or large onions after bulbs are formed. Fully matured onions may be kept for winter storing. Some varieties are better than others for this purpose as explained in the descriptions.

## 682 Sweet Spanish ☉ UTAH STRAIN

110 days. Very large, globe-shaped, exceptionally mild, fine grained and sweet—excellent when cooked or for use in salads or other ways without cooking. They are remarkably uniform, have light yellow skin and pure white, firm, crisp, tasty flesh. Under proper growing conditions, will measure 4 to 6 in. across. Although onions of this type will not keep as long in storage as Yellow Globe Danvers, Southport, or Ebenezer, Utah Sweet Spanish will stand shipping and storage for short periods better than Prizetaker, Gibraltar or the Bermuda varieties. In northern states, and sections where summers are short, seed is usually started early.

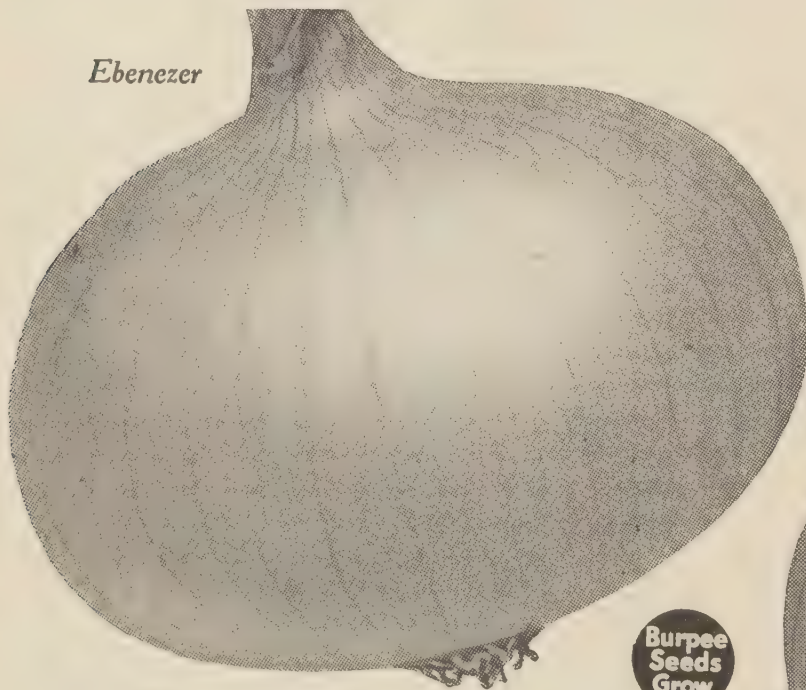
Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.75

## 684 White Sweet Spanish—UTAH STRAIN

110 days. Identical with the original Sweet Spanish in every way except color of skin which is pure glistening white instead of yellow. Flesh is pearl-white, of mild flavor, solid and crisp. Its large size, small neck, and attractive, deep globular appearance make it a ready seller on market stands; a favorite, attractive, sweet white onion with home gardeners.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.75

*Ebenezer*



## 672 Ebenezer ☉

105 days. Bulbs are a flattened globe, 2 1/2 to 3 in. or more across when well grown, yellowish brown skin with firm yellowish white flesh of exceptionally mild flavor. One of the best winter keepers, remaining in good, hard condition until spring. Grown extensively for sets because of good keeping quality.

Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 35¢;  
oz. 65¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.95

**Burpee  
Seeds  
Grow**

## 675 Excel Bermuda—Early, mild

90 days. Earlier than Yellow Bermuda, slower to bolt, free of splits, doubles, bottlenecks and pink off-color bulbs. Highly recommended for Texas and other southern states where Bermuda onions are grown successfully. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$3.00

## 697 White Portugal—"Silver Skin"

100 days. Large, flat, white onion with firm, fine grained flesh of mild and pleasing flavor. Grown more extensively for sets than any other white onion. Also used for bunching or "green" onions, as well as for pickling when small, and fall storage.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.75

## 671 Yellow Globe Danvers ☉

105 days. One of the most widely planted yellow globe onions for home gardens, market crops and the production of onion sets. Onions are medium-size, globular, light golden brown, remarkably smooth, firm and uniform. Flesh is yellowish white and of strong flavor.

Dependable, productive and a good winter keeper. Ours is a selected stock that is sure to please the most discriminating gardener.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 40¢;  
oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

*Yellow Globe Danvers*



### 3 Extra Choice Onions

Prizetaker, White Portugal  
and Southport Red Globe

7025—3 Pkts., one each,  
value 40¢ for only 30¢



# 678 Burpee Yellow Globe Hybrid Onion

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## The first yellow globe hybrid onion

102 days. New, sensational, first-generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid onion outstanding for earliness, uniformity, high yield and exceptional keeping quality. Onions are globular, smooth, 3 to 3½ in. across, with light golden skin and sweet, yellowish white flesh. This is the first hybrid onion seed to be offered commercially. Test plantings made throughout the country show it has a wide range of adaptability.

Seed supply is limited. Pkt. (100 seeds) 50¢;  
2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; 5 pkts. \$2.00

## 711 Burpee's Gigantic Gibraltar

115 days. Productive, globular onion of enormous size with light straw-colored skin and mild, pure white juicy flesh, unsurpassed for eating raw. Most desirable for home garden, roadside stands or local market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 673 Crystal White Wax — Delicate flavor

95 days. Of the Bermuda type; quite flat in shape; sweet and mild flavor. This onion is most popular in the South, especially in Texas, where it grows much larger than in the North. Onions are medium-large with clear white skin and waxy white flesh of delicate quality. An attractive early onion for home garden and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 676 Early Yellow Globe — Fine keeper

100 days. Beautiful, reliable, globe-shaped, deep yellow skinned onion with clear white flesh of mild flavor. Early, uniform, solid, and large; an enormous cropper and a good winter keeper. For home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 687 Red Wethersfield — Large around

105 days. Large, flattened onions with deep rich purplish red, smooth, glossy skin. Flesh is white, lightly tinged with pinkish rose near the skin. The flavor is strong. Remains in good condition in storage for a long time.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 696 Southport White Globe

112 days. Most attractive, large, round onion with pure paper-white skin. The flesh is pure white, sweet, juicy, and of most delightful mild flavor. A main-crop variety which will keep well for some time in fall storage. A ready seller in market; popular with home gardeners.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75

## 704 Southport White Globe — SPECIAL

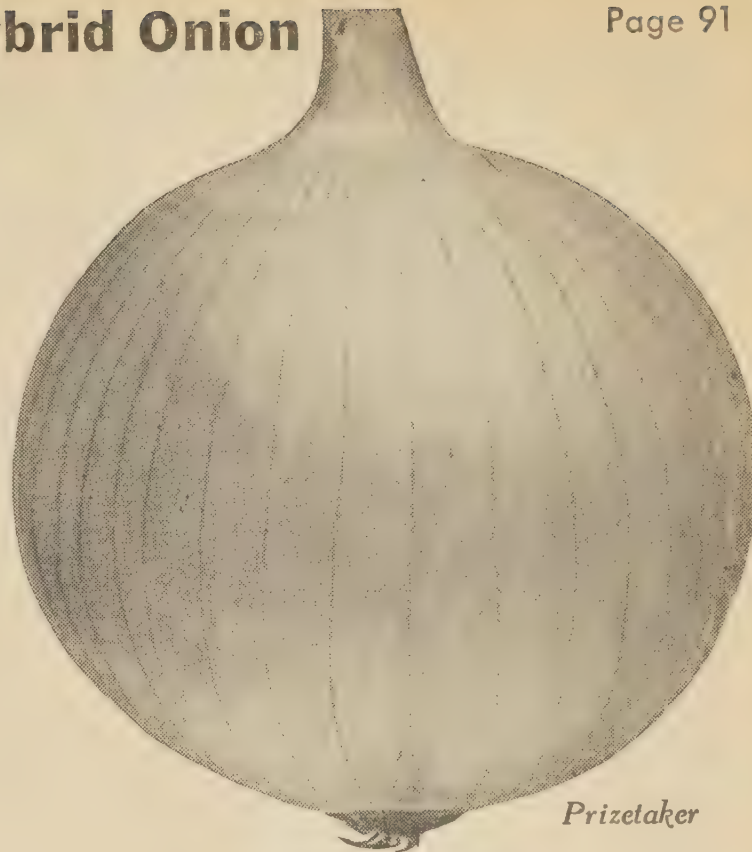
110 days. **Burpee's Special Stock**—grown from bulbs carefully selected for uniformity in size, shape, color, maturity and quality. Usually gives higher yields than other strains of Southport White Globe. The leading round, mild, white-skinned, white-fleshed onion.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.00

## 674 Yellow Bermuda — Flesh is mild

95 days. Medium-sized onions with straw-yellow skin and mild flesh that is nearly white. Desirable for home garden and early market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50



Prizetaker

## 681 Prizetaker — Extra large, sweet

110 days. Produces large bulbs under ordinary growing conditions. If seed is started early, and plants set in the garden, extra large bulbs may be produced. Skin is thin, of a handsome golden brown tint, and the flesh is pure white, solid, crisp, juicy, and agreeably mild. A popular Spanish type onion for early use and not recommended for winter storage.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 680 Southport Yellow Globe

115 days. This is the finest strain of this variety in existence. The onions mature all at the same time and are remarkably uniform in size, shape, color, and quality. The skin is bright golden yellow and the flesh is fine grained, creamy white, fairly strong in flavor, solid, and juicy. The roots are deep globular, with rather full shoulder and a thin, slender neck. Largely grown by home and market gardeners. Good keeper, very productive and of a most attractive appearance.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 690 Southport Red Globe

115 days. Resembles other Southports in size, shape, and quality, but the skin is a glossy deep red color. The flesh is fine grained, white, always mild and pleasant. Heavy yielder and an excellent keeper. In great demand in the Middlewest and South, where red onions are very popular. Deep globular bulbs with medium-thick scales and small neck. Cures easily.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95

## 679 Brigham Yellow Globe — Excellent keeper

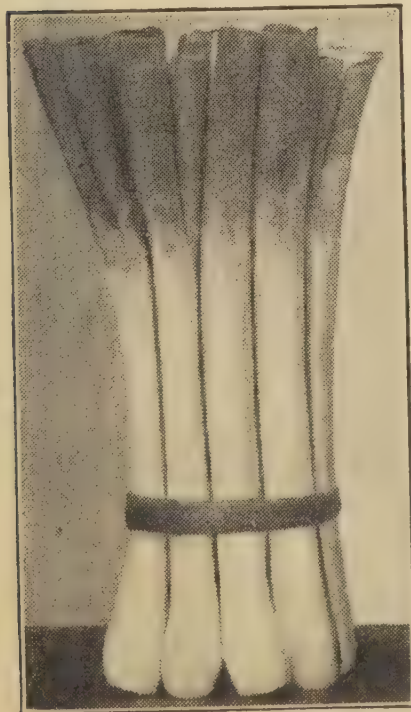
110 days. Preferred by many gardeners on account of its fine keeping qualities and large yields. Onions are solid, true globe shape, and are grown from selected bulbs of the original strain. Flesh is creamy white, of fine, firm texture and moderately strong flavored; skin is deep yellow. Scales are thick and tight. Can be depended upon to grow successfully on muck or heavy soil. Earlier than Southport Yellow Globe, more globular; skin is thicker and darker in color.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

## 710 Evergreen Long White Bunching — Bulbless

120 days. Does not form bulbs. Grown for its long, slender, silvery white stalks which are used for green bunching onions or scallions. They are produced in clusters of four to nine. For flavoring, you may use young plants 60 days after sowing seed. Perfectly hardy. Seeds sown in the spring or summer will provide mild, green scallions late in the fall or, if wintered over, very early the following spring. Need protection in cold sections.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75



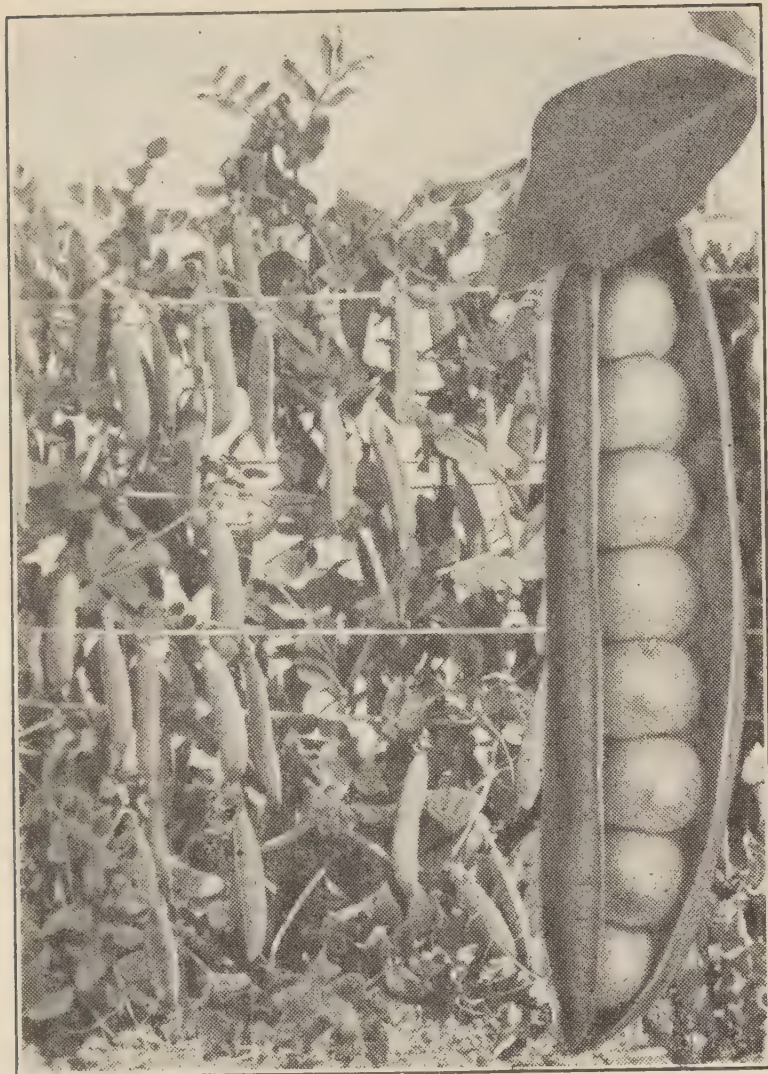
Evergreen Bunching

## How to Grow Onions from Seed

Sow seed as early in the spring as the ground can be worked, in rows 1 to 1½ ft. apart. Cover the seed lightly. The soil best suited to grow onions is one that is reasonably fertile, well drained, and well prepared. If fully matured onions are wanted, thin the seedlings when 3 to 4 in. tall, to stand sufficiently far apart to develop without touching one another. When the bulbs have reached maturity, bend down the tops to hasten ripening before the onions are harvested. Store in a dry, free-from-frost place over winter. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 200 ft. See page 89 for How to Grow Onions from Sets; we offer both the white and yellow.



# Wrinkled-Seeded Early PEAS



*Burpeeana Early Dwarf*

Wrinkled-seeded peas, both early and main crop varieties, are favored by many home gardeners, as well as market growers and canners, because of their extra sweetness and better quality. Contrary to popular belief, they can be planted as early as smooth-seeded varieties—as soon as soil can be prepared, but do not sow in cold, wet ground. They grow best when weather is cool.

## 744 Burpeeana Early Dwarf ☉ — *New*

63 days. Burpee's new, extremely prolific, high quality pea for the home garden, market grower, shipper, canning and freezing. Vines grow 18 to 24 in. tall and bear many pods, 3 to 3¼ in. long, straight, slightly curved at tip and tightly filled with 8 to 10 medium to large size, sweet, tender peas of excellent quality. Retain color and flavor when quick frozen. Experiment stations throughout the country report most favorably on trial plantings of Burpeeana Early Dwarf. It is a "must" for your 1949 garden; be sure to try it.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90

## 753 Little Marvel ☉ — *Heavy yielder*

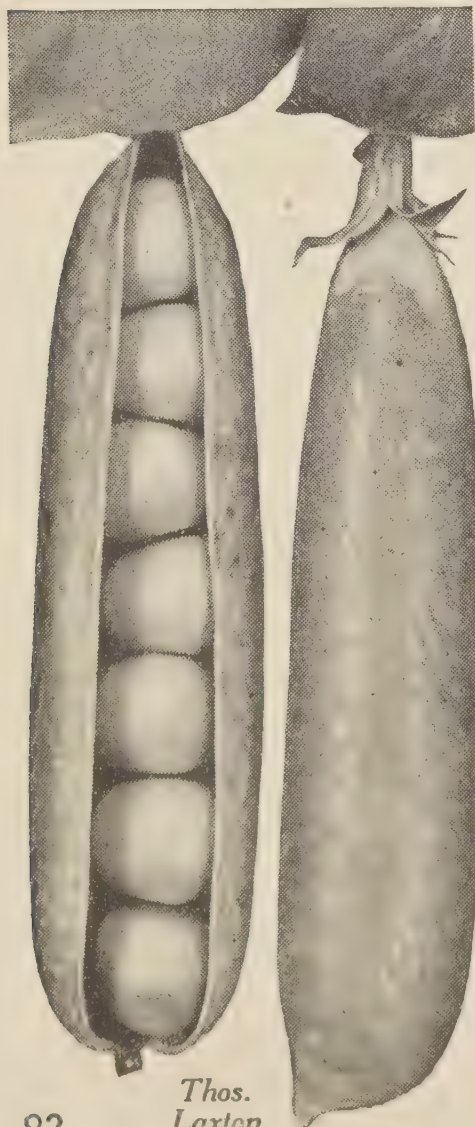
63 days. The 18 in. vines bear a heavy crop of dark green, nearly round, square-ended pods, 3 in. long, which are tightly packed with 7 or 8 large, deep green peas of the most delicious flavor. Heavy yield, high quality, attractive appearance and good carrying ability all combine to make Little Marvel a most desirable early wrinkled-seeded pea for home, market and freezing. We recommend it for use wherever peas can be grown.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 748 Freezonian — *All-America Winner*

63 days. Vines grow 2½ ft. tall, are resistant to fusarium wilt and bear a big crop of dark green, blunt pods, 3½ in. long, filled with the most luscious deep green peas whose tender, clinging skin does not peel or loosen in freezing. It is for this reason that it is named "Freezonian." Although it is most excellent for quick freezing, it is just as valuable for the home and market gardener.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 75¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25



*Thos.  
Laxton*

## 746 Thos. Laxton ☉

65 days. Plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. in height. Pods are 3½ in. long, broad, straight, well-filled, dark green and have square ends. Each pod contains 7 to 9 large, tender peas of the very finest flavor. An early high quality, all-purpose pea for home or market. Always a heavy cropper; in some seasons in the East it usually outyields many of the larger podded varieties. Highly recommended for freezing, as well as shipping, and used to some extent in certain sections as a canning pea. Its adaptability to grow under widely different conditions is marvelous and adds to its popularity.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 760 World's Record

63 days. Also known as **Extra Early Gradus**. Vines grow about 3 ft. tall and bear an enormous crop of pods 3½ in. long, nearly straight, pointed at the tip, medium green, and hold 6 to 8 large tender peas of sweet, luscious flavor. We offer the improved early strain. General favorite tall growing, early, large-podded pea for home, market and freezing. A sure cropper; quality is extra good.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

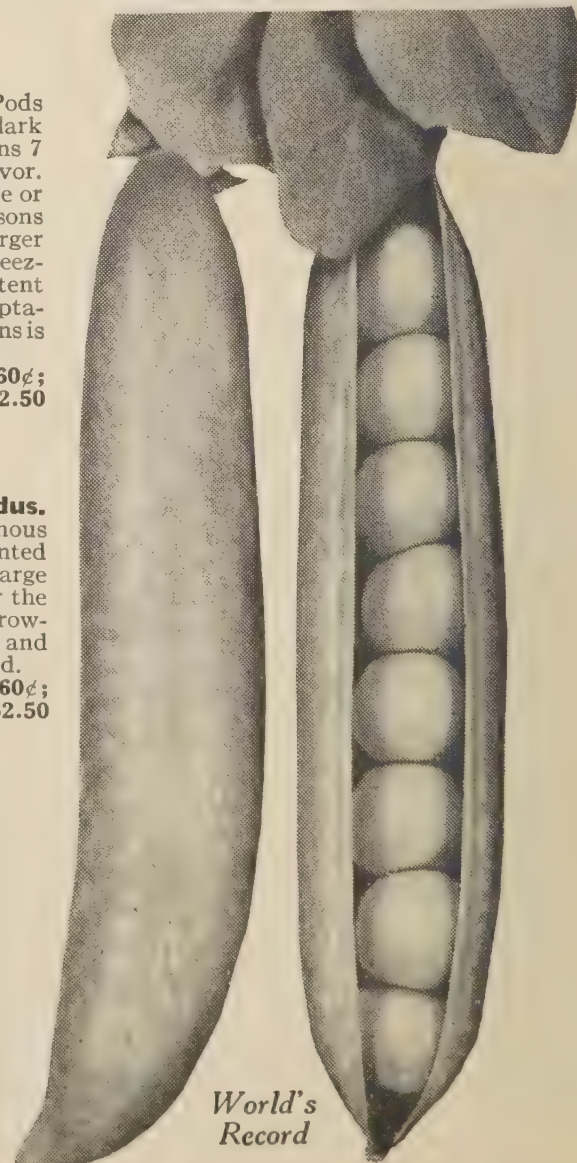
### 3 of the Best Dwarf Growing Peas

Burpee's Blue Bantam  
Little Marvel and Radio

7102—3 Pkts., one of each, value 40¢ for 30¢

7104—1½ Lbs., ½ lb. of each, value \$1.05 for 90¢

7105—3 Lbs., one lb. of each, value \$1.85 for only \$1.60



*World's  
Record*



# Wrinkled-Seeded Early Peas

## 754 Burpee's Blue Bantam Ⓞ

64 days. There is no better, sweeter, more delicious pea for home garden and market than Burpee's Blue Bantam—large, dark green pods, fine quality, heavy yield, reasonable earliness, and long bearing season. Plants are 15 to 18 in. tall, with coarse, dark green foliage, often branched. Pods are 4 in. long, very dark green, pointed and rather slender, containing 7 to 9 large, sweet, deep bluish green peas of a distinctly superior flavor; excellent for freezing. Blue Bantam is to peas what Golden Bantam is to corn. It is early enough to make a crop in practically all parts of the country if planted in proper season. You will be delighted with the superb quality of Blue Bantam pea and well satisfied with its great productiveness.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 757 Improved Gradus—Heavy producer of delicious peas

68 days. A large-podded variety suitable for home, market and freezing. The medium green plants grow about 3 ft. tall and produce a heavy crop of medium green, broad, plump, pointed pods 3½ in. long which contain 6 to 8 large, tender peas of a sweet and delicious flavor. Shells easily. Sturdy growing. There is a steady annual demand for this excellent pea.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 764 Giant Laxtonian—Very desirable, large-podded, early

64 days. An exceptionally choice, large-podded, early, dwarf pea for home, market and freezing. The dark green vines grow 15 to 18 in. tall and produce a heavy crop of large, straight, pointed, deep green pods, 4¼ in. long. Each pod contains 7 or 8 large, sweet, tender, dark green peas of high quality and much larger in size than other dwarf-growing early varieties. Best known of all large-podded early wrinkled peas and one that we can highly recommend.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 796 Laxton's Progress—Largest pods of the Laxtonian group

62 days. Pods 4½ in. long, broad, pointed, deep green, each with 7 to 9 large, luscious, dark green peas. Vines 18 in. tall. Popular for home gardens, freezing and although it is a dwarf grower, the pods are large enough to make it a profitable market variety. Laxton's Progress has real merit; it is productive, dependable and the sweet, tender peas are of exceptionally good quality and rich flavor. More attractive than any variety of similar season.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 751 American Wonder—Dwarf

63 days. The light green pods are close to 3 in. long and about ½ in. wide, plump, straight, with a blunt end and well filled with 5 or 6 sweet, sugary peas of good flavor. Profuse bearing vines. Grow 12 to 15 in. high. Especially desirable for the home garden.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 755 Nott's Excelsior—Old favorite

62 days. Vines 12 to 16 in. tall and extremely prolific. The plump straight pods are 3 in. long, blunt-ended and thickly filled with 5 to 7 round peas of a deliciously sweet and delicate flavor. One of the most popular extra early dwarf peas with home gardeners.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## Many of today's Finest Vegetables

were first named and introduced by Burpee. Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod Bush Bean, Burpee's Improved Bush Lima, Burpee's Fordhook Bush Lima, Golden Bantam Sweet Corn, Burpee's Blue Bantam Peas, Burpee's Copenhagen Market Cabbage are just a few of the many vegetables that were first introduced by us.

# Smooth-Seeded Early Peas

Smooth-seeded peas are valuable for earliest crop, high yield and general hardiness. Seeds should be sown as early in the spring as ground can be worked as they do best when soil and weather are cool. Further cultural directions are given on the next page and on the packages containing the seeds.

## 735 Mammoth Podded Extra Early Ⓞ—Medium-tall grower

60 days. Valuable large-podded, smooth-seeded, extra-early pea, adapted to home and market because of early maturity and large yields. Pods are broad, round, blunt, 3 in. long, medium green and contain 6 to 8 large peas of fine quality. Vines grow 30 in. high and freely produce their pods for a number of days. Such large pods and tall vines are usually found in later maturing varieties. Young, fresh peas are truly delicious. Pods taper slightly from blossom to stem end.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 739 Alaska—Resistant to wilt

55 days. Also known as Earliest of All. Standard, popular, extra-early smooth-seeded pea for home, market, canning and the mainstay of all growers who want a variety that can be cropped in one picking; of value, too, where summers are short. Vines are 2½ ft. tall, slender, unbranched, with very light green, rather thin leaves. Pods grow 2½ in. long, round, plump, light green, blunt ended and tightly packed with 6 to 8 small round green peas. Resistant to fusarium wilt.

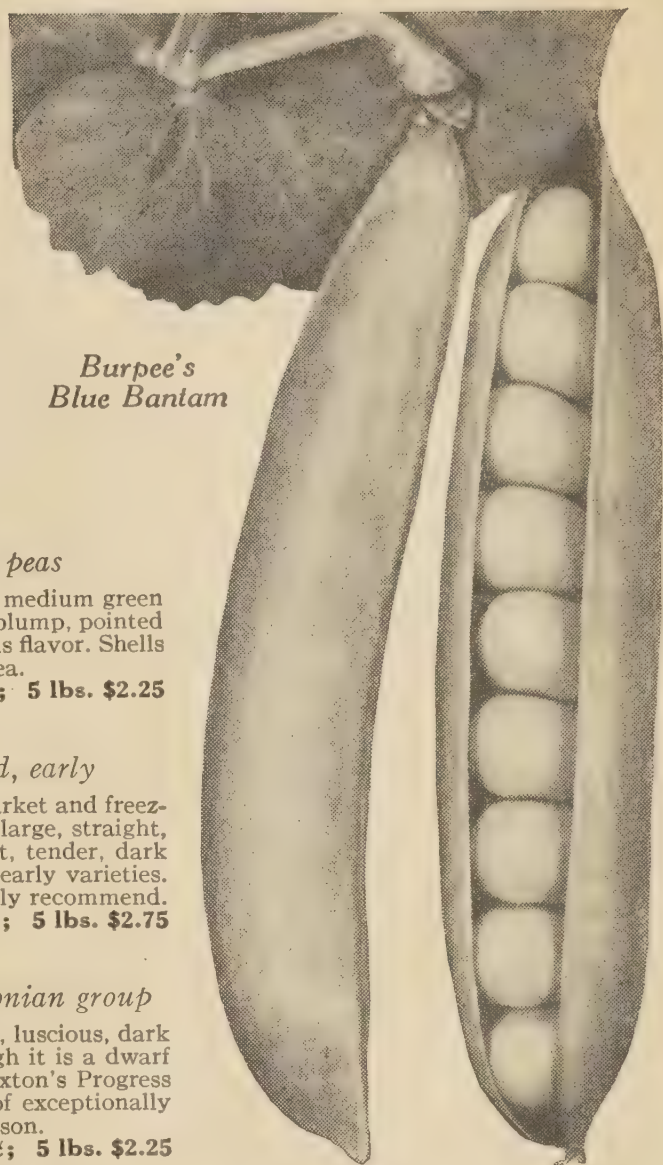
Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 55¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25

## 732 Radio Ⓞ—Ideal dwarf early

58 days. Great favorite, due to its superb quality and most amazing productiveness. The plants make a vigorous bush, 12 to 15 in. high, and in less than two months the vines are simply loaded with well-filled dark green pods, 2½ in. long, which, on the average, contain 6 large, round, bright green peas, the flavor of which is rich and sweet. Seed is smooth, showing slight dimples. Because of its dwarf habit, Radio is ideal for the home garden; also used for local markets in some sections.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

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Burpee's  
Blue Bantam



Mammoth  
Podded  
Extra Early



# Main-Crop PEAS—Dwarf, Medium and Tall Growing

## 770 Fordhook Wonder ☉—Ideal quality pea for all purposes

79 days. Extremely large pods, 5 to 5½ in. long, nearly round, dark green, and contain up to 10 extra-large peas that are sweet and most delicious. Quality is excellent; very good for freezing. For a main-crop home garden pea, or for markets where size of pods is important, we recommend Fordhook Wonder for any section where late peas do well. Plants are very vigorous, dark green, coarse, 28 in. tall; peas are of the finest flavor and they retain their sweetness for an unusually long time after the pods are ready to pick. Very productive.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 785 Alderman or Tall Dark Podded Telephone

74 days. Depending upon growing conditions, vines grow 4½ to 6 ft. tall and require support. Very productive over a long bearing season. Pods 4½ to 5 in. and more in length, straight, pointed; well filled with 8 to 10 extra-large, extra-sweet peas which hold their green color well in cooking. An ideal, high quality pea of unsurpassed flavor for home, market, shipping and freezing. Does best in cooler regions as do all the largest podded varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 65¢; 2 lbs. \$1.20; 5 lbs. \$2.75

## 793 Carter's Daisy or Dwarf Telephone—Sweet, tender

79 days. Vines grow about 24 in. tall, are stout and invariably bear a good crop of attractive large pods, 4½ in. long, broad, slightly curved, and pointed, each containing 7 to 9 large, round, luscious peas of the most excellent quality and fine flavor. A standard market variety and popular medium-tall, large-podded pea for the home garden as the vines are short and bushy enough not to require support. Suitable for quick freezing.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

## 789 Potlatch or Improved Stratagem

79 days. Large-podded, semi-dwarf pea bearing an abundance of pods on strong, dark green vines 28 in. tall. The pods are 4½ to 5½ in. long, dark green, and contain 8 to 10 very large, rich, green peas. In sections where late peas can be grown satisfactorily, Potlatch is valuable for home and market; desirable for freezing and shipping. Quite resistant to fusarium wilt.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 55¢; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25

To enjoy the sweet, delicious flavor of peas, pick pods before they become fully developed and while still green; then cook as soon as possible, because they lose flavor, sweetness and quality rapidly after picking, the sugar changing to starch. Grow your own and get the real, sweet flavor of garden fresh vegetables at their very best.

### How to Grow Peas

Peas make their best growth during cool weather so that the first planting of seed should be made as early in the spring as the soil can be worked. Sow an early variety two or three times at 10-day intervals or choose from the smooth-seeded early, wrinkled-seeded early and main-crop varieties. Sow again in late summer for a fall crop. Planting space available more or less governs the number of sowings and the choice between tall and dwarf varieties. Peas are usually planted in double rows 3 in. apart, the seeds dropped 2 in. apart and covered with 1 to 2 in. of soil. Double rows should be spaced about 2½ ft. apart. For best results, provide supports (wire, brush or string) for the tall-growing varieties to climb upon. A pkt. will sow 20 ft. of single row; 1 lb. 100 ft.

## EDIBLE-PODDED or SUGAR PEAS

PODS ARE COOKED LIKE SNAP BEANS

Sugar Peas possess the tenderness and fleshy podded qualities of a snap bean and the flavor and sweetness of fresh green peas. When young the pods are cooked like snap beans; the peas are not shelled. At this stage, pods are stringless, brittle and succulent. Should pods develop too fast for use as snap beans, seeds may be eaten as shelled peas and are of the best flavor before they have reached full size. The following varieties are entirely free of fiber or parchment. Vines of the taller growing varieties should be given support of string or brush to climb upon for best results.

### 815 Mammoth Melting Sugar ☉

75 days. Well-known, productive and resistant to fusarium wilt. The fleshy, tender, 4 to 4½ in. pods are light green, sometimes twisted, broad and blunt-ended, stringless, sweet and delicious. Large white seeded. Vines grow 4 to 4½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### 812 Giant Sugar-Pod — Flat pods

78 days. Vigorous, well-branched vines 3 to 5 ft. tall, bearing an enormous crop of large, flat, yellowish green pods, 4 to 6 in. in length, very fleshy, unusually sweet and tender. Because of their size, the large pods are sometimes sliced for cooking.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ lb. 35¢; 1 lb. 60¢;  
2 lbs. \$1.10; 5 lbs. \$2.50

### 811 Dwarf Gray Sugar

2 to 2½ ft. high; very prolific.

65 days. The earliest and dwarfest growing sugar pea. Pods, 2½ to 3 in. long, light green, curved, sweet and tender. Plants grow

Pkt. 10¢; ½ lb. 30¢; 1 lb. 55¢; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25



# SPINACH

One of our most wholesome "greens" in the spring and early fall when cool weather is most favorable for its growth. Also suitable for quick freezing. The New Zealand Spinach will supply delicious "greens" throughout the summer and fall. It withstands heat, as does Swiss Chard and Tampala. Why not plant some of each class to supply you with vitamin-rich fresh "greens" throughout the season; canned or frozen for use during the winter? The number of days from sowing the seed until spinach is ready to use applies to spring plantings in vicinity of Philadelphia. The time varies in different sections and season when sown.

## 1006 Viking

46 days. Plants are large, vigorous, long standing and highly productive. Leaves are very large, smooth, thick and of a darker green color than Nobel which makes it especially valuable for home use, market gardeners, canning and freezing. **Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 90¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.45**

## 1003 Virginia Blight Resistant

42 days. A greatly improved selection, the leaves of which are somewhat smoother and not so curled as Bloomsdale Reselected; they are large, dark green, extremely crisp, tender and of upright growth. It is especially recommended for planting in soil where mosaic is prevalent. **Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 90¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.45**

## 990 Viroflay—Thick leaf, very large

46 days. Broad arrow-shaped thick leaves of fine quality, usually smooth but sometimes slightly crumpled, and of medium green color. In common with smooth leaved varieties, it is highly desirable for the home garden. It is also used for canning. Quick, vigorous grower. Excellent. **Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 80¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.35**

## 995 Bloomsdale Reselected

45 days. Distinct improvement over the old standard Bloomsdale Savoy. The leaves are of heavy texture, very thick, dark green, heavily crumpled and savoyed. A perfectly hardy variety which may be used for early spring sowing or for planting in the fall to winter over. Fast growing, vigorous plants. **Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 80¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.35**

## 1005 New Zealand

### HOT WEATHER OR EVERLASTING SPINACH

70 days. When prepared for the table, it so greatly resembles spinach in appearance and flavor that most persons will not be aware of the difference. It makes strong plants which resist heat and produce an abundance of fleshy, brittle green leaves and young stem tips that can be picked repeatedly all during the summer and fall. Plants attain a spread of 4 ft. when fully grown and thrive in any good soil in a warm location. One sowing will do for the season. It is not hardy so cannot stand frost. **Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.10; 1/2 lb. \$2.00**



*New Zealand or Everlasting Spinach*

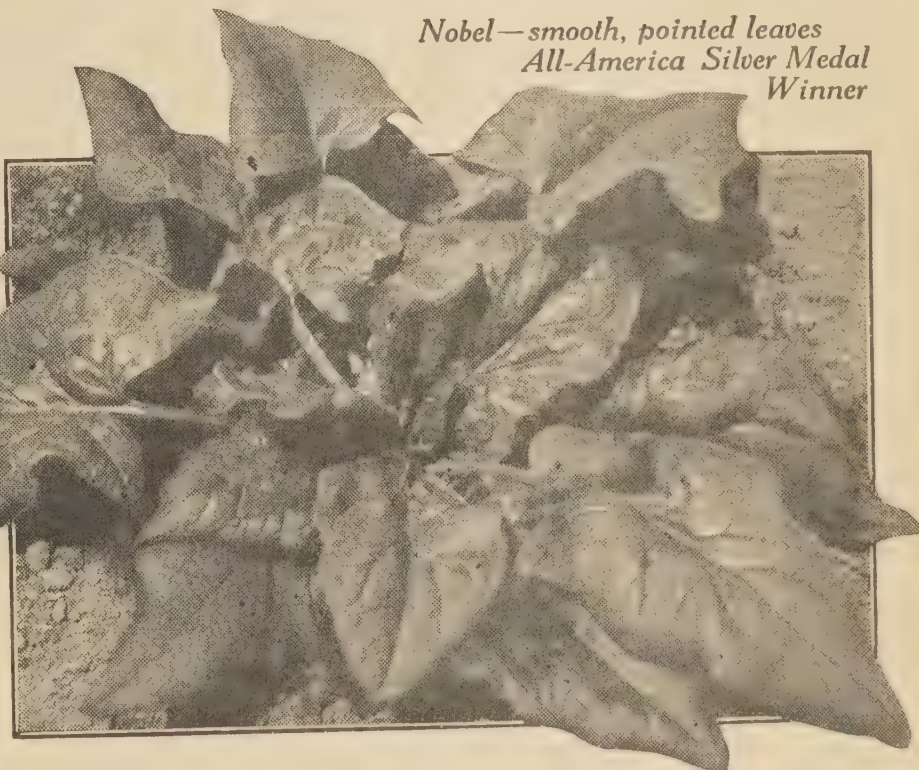
*Bloomsdale  
Long Standing  
Heavily savoyed,  
broad, dark green  
tender leaves*



## 999 Bloomsdale Long Standing —Large plants

48 days. Quick-growing hardy spinach much planted for home and market use as well as for canning. The glossy dark green leaves are intensely crinkled, in addition to being of a very heavy texture. Valuable for spring sowing or planting in the fall. Remains in the rosette stage for a long time without bolting. An extremely heavy yielder of delicious "greens." Plants are large and sturdy. **Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 80¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.35**

*Nobel—smooth, pointed leaves  
All-America Silver Medal  
Winner*



## 1000 Nobel —Heavy yielder, thick leaves

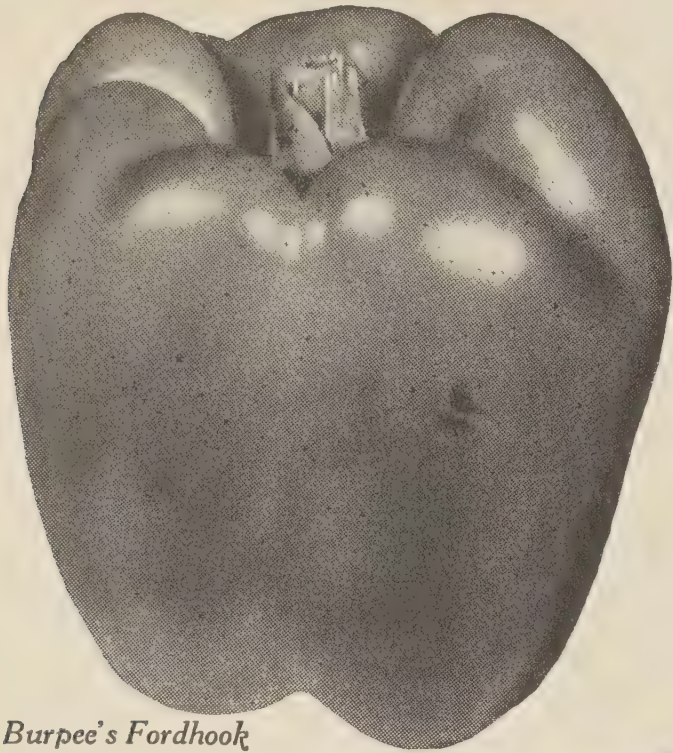
49 days. The largest as well as the heaviest producer of all, with thick, smooth, pointed green leaves that are quite succulent, crisp, tender and of extremely delicious flavor. Plants are of vigorous, spreading growth and stand long before bolting to seed. For home, market and canning. **Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 80¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.35**

## How to Grow Spinach

Sow seeds very early in the spring, either broadcast or in rows 18 to 24 in. apart; cover the seed with 1 in. of soil and thin plants to stand 5 or 6 in. apart in the rows. At each picking, remove every other plant, which will allow room for remaining plants to fully develop. Additional sowings may be made when the preceding planting is up and growing, but the last should be two months before hot weather is expected. For fall use, sow in late summer; for early spring use, where winters are mild, sow in early fall and cover with a few inches of hay, leaves or litter. A pkt. will sow 25 ft. of row; 1 oz. 75 ft. Directions for growing New Zealand spinach are given on the seed bags.



# Burpee's PEPPERS



*Burpee's Fordhook*

## 822 King of the North

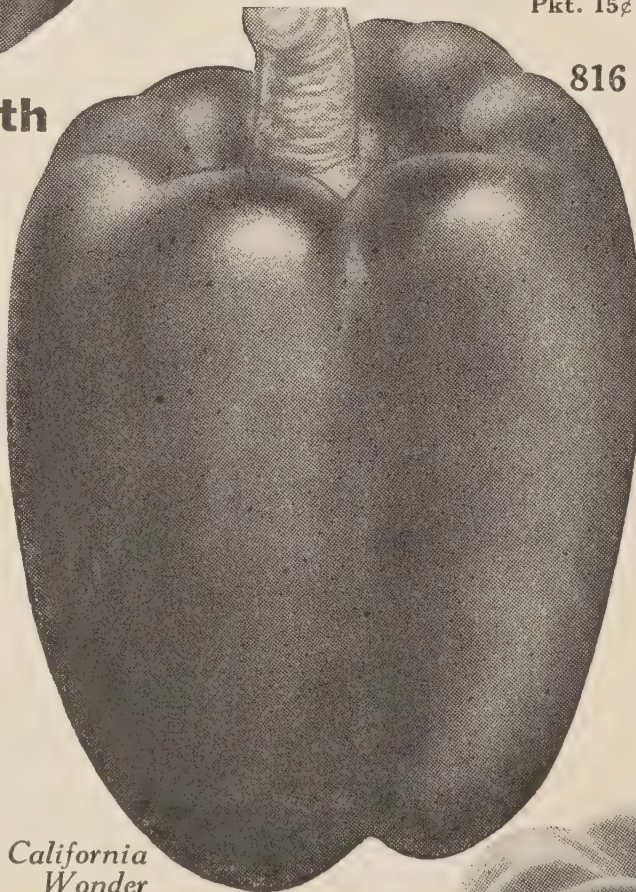
65 days. The large peppers are mild and sweet, dark green, turning to a rich red when ripe; 5 in. and more long, 3 to 4 in. across. Very early; in fact, it will be relatively earlier in regions where growing seasons are short. Productive, branching plants; good market type and valuable for home garden. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20; 1/4 lb. \$3.50**

## 836 Worldbeater

73 days. Fruits are large, three and four lobed, 5 in. long and 3 1/2 in. across, smooth, dark green turning deep red when ripe. Early and productive, with thick flesh and a mild, sweet flavor. Good shipper; popular for home and market. Uniform shape. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$3.25**

## 838 Oshkosh—Yellow

70 days. An attractive bright, canary yellow pepper when ripe, but rich dark green while young. The fruits are smooth, blocky, 4 1/2 in. long and 3 1/2 in. in diameter, taper to a blunt point and have a mild, sweet flavor. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.25**



*California Wonder*

## 829 Merrimack Wonder—The earliest

60 days. Especially recommended for the North and Northeast as plants set numerous, handsome, marketable fruits in regions of short growing season. Plants are uniform, upright, bushy in habit, medium in size, and with dark green foliage. Fruits are smooth, blocky, of attractive appearance with moderately thick, sweet, mild flesh; skin is dark green turning to rich red.

**Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; 1/4 lb. \$4.00**

## 820 Sweetmeat Glory—Thick flesh of fine quality

82 days. Of the Pimento type, with large, heart-shaped, dark green, smooth fruits, turning to bright crimson-scarlet when ripe. They grow 2 in. across and about 3 in. in length and are used extensively for canning; suitable for freezing. Flesh is 5/16 in. thick, sweet, and exceptionally mild. For home and market.

**Pkt. 10¢; 1/2 oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢; 1/4 lb. \$3.00**

Peppers are classed in two groups, the sweet or mild and the hot. The sweet fleshed peppers are desirable for slicing, salad and stuffing; they come in different forms,—some blocky (Burpee's Fordhook), some heart-shaped (Burpee's Early Pimento), and another like a tomato in shape with a very mild flavor (Burpee's Sunnybrook). All are green at first changing to red when ripe, except Oshkosh, which turns to bright yellow. Pepper plants will produce more fruits if they are kept picked when green in color.

Hot fleshed peppers vary in shape from those resembling a cherry to the extremely hot little tabascos and the long red cayenne. They are red when ripe. Fine for sauces, flavoring and pickling either fresh or dried.

## 840 Burpee's Fordhook

66 days. Fruits are blocky, just the right size and shape for stuffing; 3 to 3 1/2 in. in diameter and 3 1/2 to 3 3/4 in. deep, nearly round in cross section, with 3 or 4 lobes, glossy dark green skin turning bright red when ripe. The flesh is tender, crisp and always sweet. An excellent, extremely productive pepper for early market and home gardens. We highly recommend it.

**Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.50; 1/4 lb. \$4.50**

## 833 Burpee's Sunnybrook—Tomato shape

65 days. The best tomato-shaped pepper, very early and productive. Fruits are 2 in. deep and 3 in. in diameter with smooth, glossy dark green skin turning deep red. Flesh is so sweet and mild that it may be eaten like a raw tomato.

**Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; 1/4 lb. \$3.25**

## 816 California Wonder

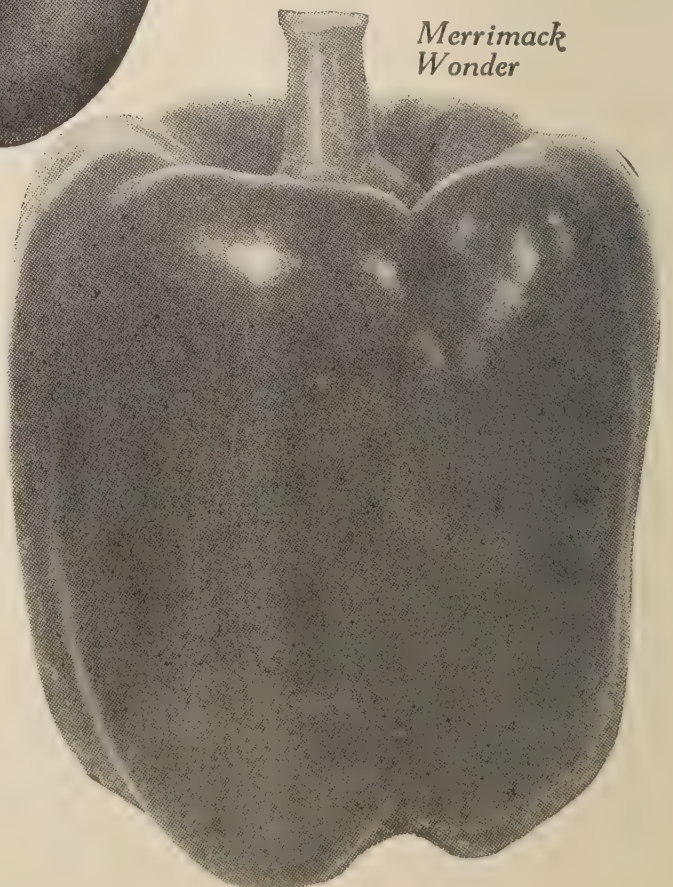
75 days. All that you could ask for in a stuffing pepper—good size, blocky form, remarkably thick walls, sweetness, tenderness, and choice flavor. Peppers are about 4 in. long and 3 to 3 1/2 in. in diameter, 3 and 4 lobed, and are borne upright. The skin is very smooth, glossy green, turning to bright crimson when ripe. Recommended for home, market, shipping and freezing. Prolific.

**Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$3.75**

## 818 Large Early Neapolitan

61 days. Very early, sweet, mild pepper with upright three-lobed fruits growing about 4 in. long and 2 in. thick, turning from a yellowish green to bright red. Also known as **White Caps** and largely used for frying. Wonderfully productive.

**Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.25**



*Merrimack Wonder*

### Three Good Peppers for the Home Garden

California Wonder, Oshkosh and Worldbeater

7108—3 Pkts., one of each variety, value 45¢ for only **35¢**



## 847 Burpee's Early Pimento Pepper ©

65 days. Heart-shaped, pendent, and when mature the fruits are 3½ in. long and 2½ in. in diameter at the top, smooth, dark green, turning bright red when ripe. The flesh is ¼ to ⅝ in. thick—a heavy walled pepper which is sweet and mild at all stages. Most desirable for home, market, freezing and for making canned pimentos. Plants are prolific. *All-America Bronze Medal Winner.*

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20; ¼ lb. \$3.50

## 819 Burpee's Chinese Giant—Extra large

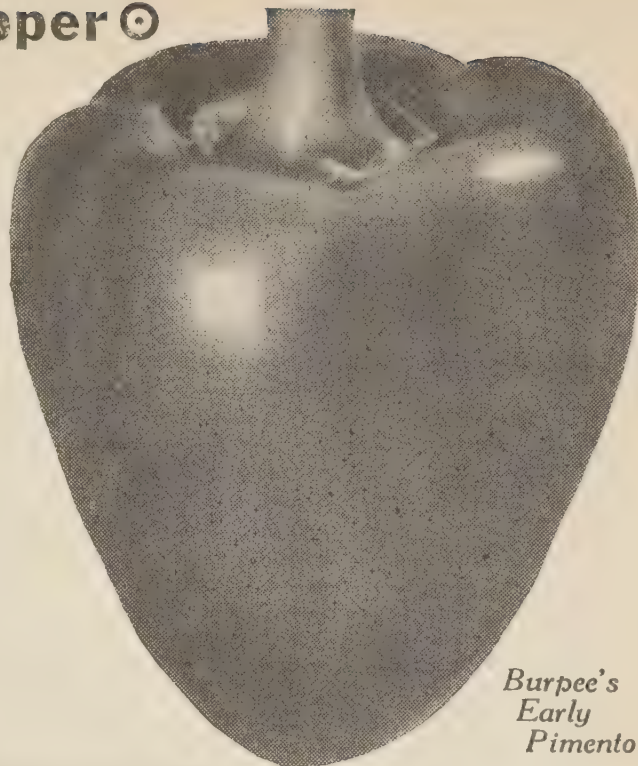
79 days. The ideal home-garden pepper; also grown by many market gardeners. It makes a vigorous growth, developing into heavy, stocky plants which seldom are more than 2 ft. tall, well branched and thickly set with enormous pendent peppers, 4 to 5 in. broad and fully as long; square ended and deeply crumpled in the blossom end. Skin is dark green turning deep scarlet when ripe; flesh is medium-thick, crisp, succulent, sweet and of a mild, delicate flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75

## 821 Burpee's Ruby King—Large, uniform

68 days. Prolific bearer of pendent fruits 4½ to 6 in. long and 2½ to 3 in. thick at the shoulder; deep green turning to bright red. Four sided tapering to four small lobes. The flesh is firm, mild, and sweet; walls are of medium thickness, but fruits are frequently more desirable for slicing, salad or stuffing than those with thicker flesh. Extremely valuable for home, freezing and early market.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$3.00



*Burpee's  
Early  
Pimento*

## HOT PEPPERS—Large and Small

**858 Hungarian Wax** 65 days. Waxy canary-yellow changing to bright red when ripe. 6 to 8 in. long, 2 in. across. Quite hot.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

**845 Large Bell** 69 days. The hot Bull Nose, square, deep green fruits, 3 in. long, 2¾ in. across, turning to scarlet when mature.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.25

**856 Large Cherry** 69 days. Flattened globe fruits, 1½ in. across; deep green turning to cherry-red at maturity. Heavy cropper.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

**837 Long Red Cayenne** 72 days. Peppers grow 5 in. long and about ½ in. thick; often curled and twisted. Easily dried for winter.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

**850 Maule's Red Hot** 77 days. Bright red fruits 5 to 7 in. long and 1 in. thick. Exceedingly hot and pungent, fresh or dried.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

**839 Red Chili** 82 days. Small, extremely hot, erect, cone-shaped fruits, 2 in. long and ¼ in. across. Both skin and flesh are red.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.25

**857 Tabasco** 92 days. Extremely hot, small, upright fruits, 1½ in. long, ⅜ in. thick; pale yellow turning orange-scarlet.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.25

### How to Grow Peppers

Sow seed in a hotbed or indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans of rich soil, allowing 8 to 10 weeks to produce plants large enough to set outdoors when all danger of frost is past. When the soil has become warm, set the young plants in the garden, 18 to 24 in. apart in rows 2 to 3 ft. apart. A pkt. will produce about 100 plants; 1 oz. 1500.

*Small Sugar  
Pumpkin*



## Burpee's PUMPKINS

The very mention of the word "pumpkin" reminds one of the sweet, delicious flavor of pie. Fruits may be used in the fall or stored in a dry, moderately warm place for use during the winter; the flesh may also be canned. Some varieties of winter squashes, especially Boston Marrow, commonly known as the Basket Pumpkin, are generally grown for pumpkin pie instead of the true pumpkins. The best pumpkin for general use whether in the home garden, market garden or roadside sales is Small Sugar.

**863 Big Tom** 120 days. Also known as **Connecticut Field**. Large orange fruits weighing 18 lbs. each, round and flat on the ends, with a smooth, hard rind. Thick, dry, sweet orange-yellow flesh, desirable for canning and for pies and in addition is widely planted for stock feeding. The vines make a vigorous growth and need ample room to spread; often planted in cornfields.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢

**866 Cheyenne Bush ©** 100 days. Fruits are round, somewhat ribbed, brightest orange-red, 7 to 8 in. across; flesh is sweet, fine grained and recommended for pie making. Bush growth; ideal where space is limited.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.20

**875 Genuine Mammoth** 120 days. Also called **Jumbo** or **King of the Mammoths** because they attain a weight of 60 lbs. and more. Fruits grow 18 in. in diameter and have an orange-salmon skin. The bright yellow flesh is thick, of good table quality, sweet, solid, and tender.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**865 Large Cheese** 110 days. Large, round, flattened, slightly ribbed fruits, with creamy buff skin and fine grained, thick, yellow flesh which is of fine quality and good flavor. Splendid for stock or table use, as well as for canning. Shape is somewhat similar to a cheese box, hence the name.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 80¢

## 861 Small Sugar ©—Good keeper

100 days. Round, slightly ribbed fruits of medium size, about 7 in. in diameter. Bright orange skin and rich orange flesh which is meaty, sweet, and fine grained. Wonderful for pies; in fact, this is the celebrated New England Pie Pumpkin. Best pumpkin for general use.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 70¢

**874 Golden Cushaw** 115 days. The large yellow fruits have a small seed cavity, so are quite heavy; the sweet tender flesh is rich golden yellow.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 80¢

**872 Striped Cushaw** 115 days. Crooknecked fruits with creamy white skin mottled with irregular stripes of green; weigh about 12 lbs. each. Early and prolific. 18 to 20 in. long. Thick, cream-colored flesh.

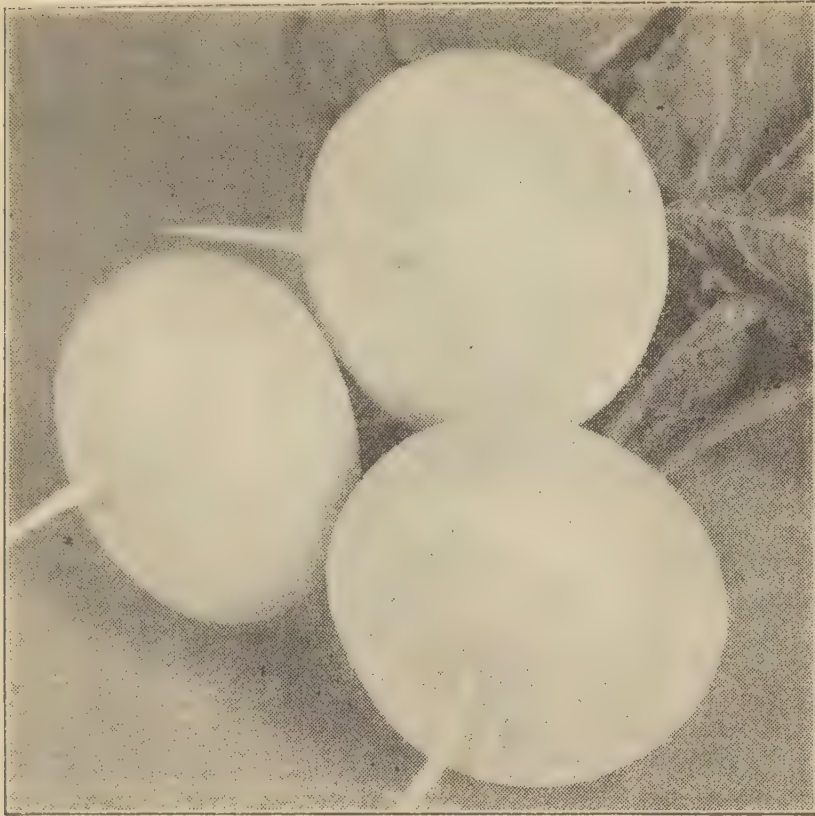
Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; ¼ lb. 65¢

### How to Grow Pumpkins

Plant 5 or 6 seeds in groups 6 to 8 ft. apart or drop seeds in every fourth group or so-called "hill" in the corn-patch when soil has become thoroughly warm. Cover seed with 1 in. of fine soil. After the seedlings are well started, thin out, leaving the best two plants in each group. A pkt. of seed will plant about 5 groups; 1 oz. 25 groups.



# Burpee's Earliest RADISHES



*Burpee White — Outstanding for flavor*

## 888 Burpee White ⊙ — Distinctive

25 days. Exceptional tenderness, mild flavor, crispiness, and remaining long in edible condition, are most outstanding qualities of this white radish introduced by us in 1947.

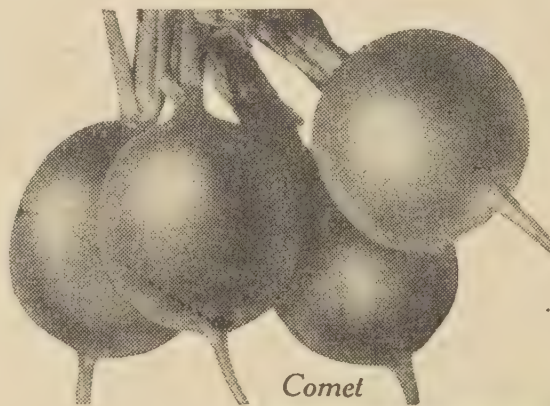
Burpee White Radishes, when young, are nearly round, juicy and sweet with pure white skin and flesh. Roots become flattened in shape as they grow, the diameter increasing with age. Best eating stage is when they measure  $\frac{3}{4}$  to 1 in. across. Grown from spring sown seed, they are still crisp, mild and tender when 2 in. in diameter.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

## 890 Comet ⊙ — Long standing

25 days. Bred to meet the increasing demand for an early radish that has the same good qualities as Vick's Scarlet Globe, but with a rounded instead of an olive-shaped root. Comet fills the bill; radishes are round, with an occasional olive-shaped, small tap-root; bright scarlet skin and tender white flesh which remains crisp and solid for a long time. Ideal for home and market gardens, both for field culture and greenhouse forcing. Eating and keeping qualities are surpassed by none.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55



*Comet*

## 877 Burpee's Earliest Scarlet Button ⊙

25 days. Perfectly round, bright scarlet radish, about 1 in. in diameter with bright scarlet, thin, tender skin and icy white flesh which is crisp and juicy. It has a mild, delicate flavor. Earliness, bright scarlet color, unusually brittle and delicious quality make it most desirable for home gardeners as well as the larger growers, either for growing outdoors or under glass; small tops are just right for bunching. Its size and color make it a ready seller. Retains its fresh appearance for a long time.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.75

Radishes do best in loose, deeply prepared soil and when growth is quick and steady. Sow seed thinly to permit full development of roots.

### Three Extra Fine Radishes

**White Icicle** (most popular long white)

**Rapid Red** (quick growing round red)

**Sparkler** (round scarlet-red, tipped white)

**7015 — 3 Pkts., one of each kind, value 35¢ for only 25¢**

## 878 Burpee's Rapid Red ⊙

23 days. A radish everyone should plant; it is early, of fine quality, refined, smooth, attractive in appearance and pungent in flavor. Small, bright red and as round as marbles,  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. in diameter, with thin, bright red skin. The flesh is pure white, crisp, and delightfully snappy. Tops are short, making it desirable for growing under glass. The quicker they are grown, indoors or out, the crispier their flesh and the more delectable their flavor. Invaluable for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.75

## 883 Vick's Scarlet Globe

24 days. Olive-shaped, bright scarlet radishes, 1 in. in diameter. It is crisp and tasty, with fine white flesh and a medium-size top; right for bunching. Good for forcing and does equally well outdoors for either the market or home garden.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55

## 886 Crimson Giant Globe

29 days. Differs from most others as the roots attain a large size without becoming hollow or pithy. The shape is a perfect globe,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, with thin, tender skin of deep crimson and solid white flesh which is firm, crisp and mild in flavor. Remains edible for a long time; in fact it performs better than others under high temperature conditions. Sow seed thinly to permit full development of the roots, and for the biggest radishes see that the soil is moderately moist, fertile and deeply prepared. Thin to a wider spacing than smaller varieties; we suggest leaving  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 in. between plants in the row for full development of large roots.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55

## 893 Sparkler — Scarlet-red tipped white

25 days. Choice early variety that is a superior strain of the old Scarlet Turnip White Tip. Small round roots,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. in diameter, with bright scarlet top, a clear white base, and small slender tap-root. The juicy flesh is pure white and of an agreeable snappy flavor. A very attractive radish for bunching or market; an excellent variety for the home garden, greenhouse and spring frame forcing. Fine contrast to the all-red varieties when displayed on market or roadside stands.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55

If your garden includes some of each of the three different classes of radishes—earliest, summer and winter varieties—it will keep you supplied with this refreshing vegetable practically all year 'round. You have your choice of many kinds.

## 895 Cavalier

25 days. Roots are highly colored, oblong-globe shape, bright scarlet; firm, white flesh. The short tops make it especially suitable for growing on muck land as well as upland soil. Our strain of this important variety has been rigidly reselected and represents an elite stock suitable for use by the most critical home and market trade. Fine for forcing in frame or greenhouse. Holds its firmness for a long time. Superior quality and dependable performer. Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.55



*Burpee's Earliest Scarlet Button*

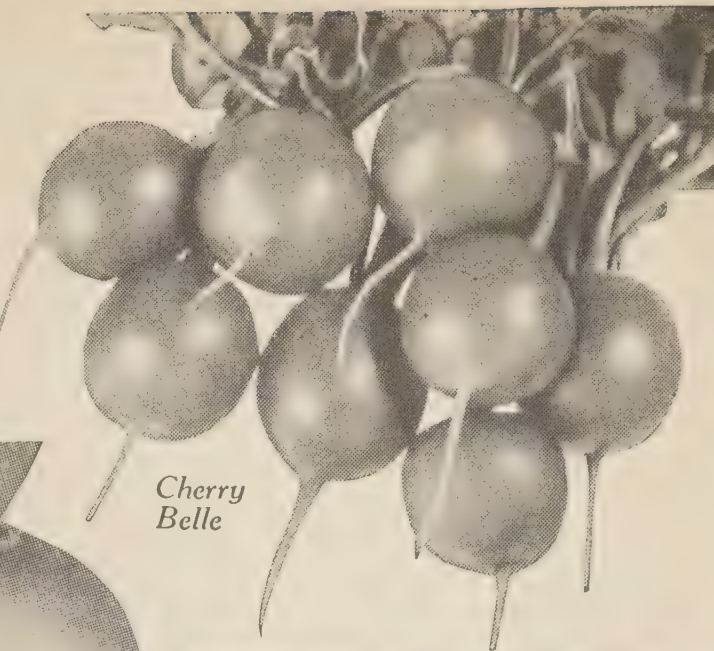


## 887 Cherry Belle Radish ☉

*New for 1949—All-America Winner*

22 days. Round, smooth, red radishes resembling cherries in shape and color; flesh is white, crisp and firm. Roots retain their good eating qualities for a long time as they are exceptionally resistant to pithiness. This most valuable characteristic, together with an attractive color, as well as ideal shape, extra-early maturity, slender tap-roots and short tops make Cherry Belle a highly desirable radish for home use, market sales and forcing. At its best when sown in early spring.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50



*Cherry Belle*

## 910 Burpee's Red Giant ☉

29 days. This remarkable radish combines large size with tender crispness and mild flavor. The roots, even though they grow to the enormous size of 1½ in. in diameter, are as crisp as ice if grown quickly. The skin is bright scarlet-red; the flesh is pure white. Grows to perfection in rich, loose, well-prepared soil. Pick Red Giant when ½ in. in diameter or ten days later when roots measure 1½ in. or more—it's always crisp, sweet and tender. An ideal home garden variety and may be used by truckers for bunching.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.25



*Burpee's Red Giant*

## 907 French Breakfast

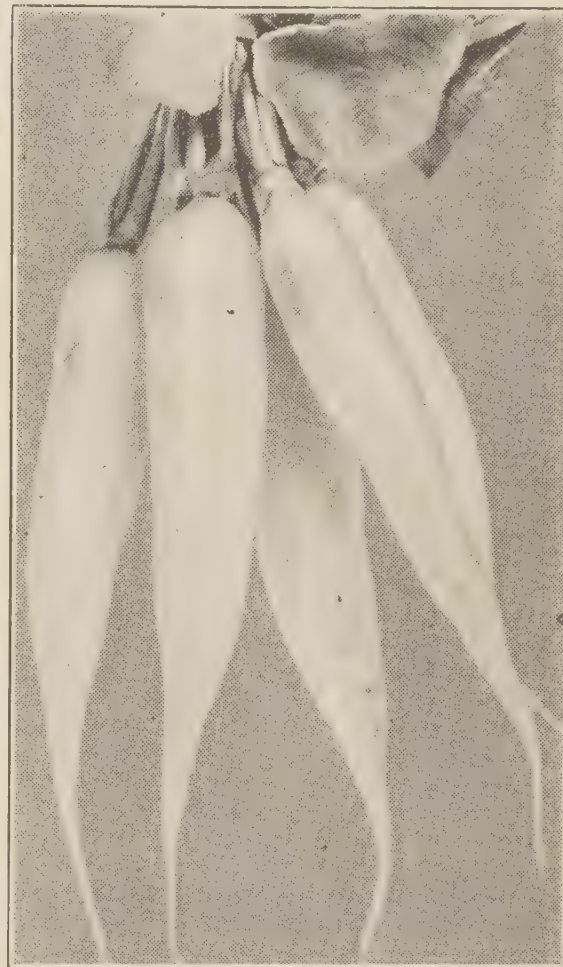
23 days. Oblong or deep olive-shaped, 1¾ in. long and ¾ to ¾ in. wide. Bright rose-scarlet skin, shading to clear white in the lower portion. The flesh is white, firm, and crisp; juicy, mildly pungent and tender. Quick grower; exceedingly popular for home, market and forcing. Tops are very short, radishes show partly above ground.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

## 938 White Icicle ☉ —Most popular of all long radishes

28 days. Skin is pure white, thin and tender; flesh is icy white, crisp, juicy, perfectly mild and of a delightfully sweet flavor with just enough pungency to appeal to the appetite. Remains solid, being fully as good when 1 in. across as when only ½ in. The roots grow 5 in. in length and are the shape of an icicle, straight and free from side roots. Splendid for either spring or fall use whether for home or market. Thorough and deep soil preparation is advisable to secure well-formed, uniform roots. It is suited for forcing.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.55



*White Icicle Radish*

## 928 Early Long Scarlet Short Top

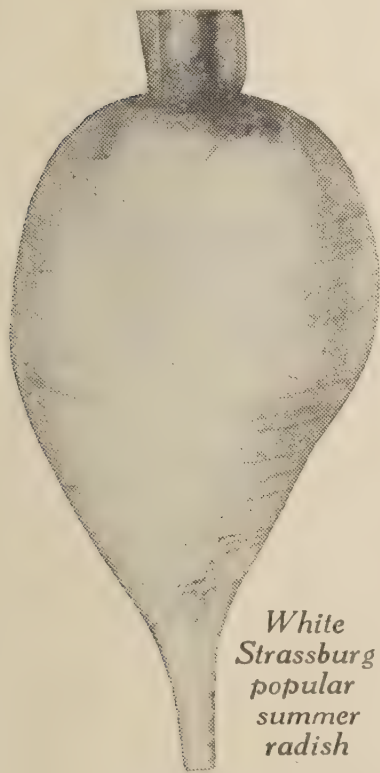
30 days. The very best long, brittle, red radish, rather slim, tapering, 5 to 6 in. in length. Skin is an attractive bright scarlet-red; the tender flesh is icy white and of the finest flavor, somewhat more pungent than Icicle. Grow partly above ground which makes pulling easy. Recommended for home and market gardeners desiring a long red radish. Ours is a carefully selected strain.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

## Midseason or Summer Radish

**959 White Strassburg** 40 days. Roots are 4½ to 5 in. long and 2 in. in diameter at the shoulder, tapering gradually towards the small taproot. Skin is white and thin; flesh is mildly pungent, white, crisp, tender and of an icy texture. Widely grown for home garden use and by market gardeners in some sections for local sales. Become ready to use when the others are gone. As they grow more slowly, they endure heat better and are valuable for summer use. We suggest a deep and thorough preparation of the soil to obtain the best roots. Remains long in good condition.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.55



*White Strassburg popular summer radish*

### How to Grow Radishes

Sow the seed of the earliest and midseason radishes as early in the spring as the ground can be worked, in rows 12 to 18 in. apart, covering ½ in. deep. Thin to stand 1 to 2 in. apart in the row. Make additional plantings when the preceding planting is up and well started; these may be made until early summer, then resume one month before frost. Seed of winter radishes is sown in the summer for fall and winter use. A moderately light soil produces the smoothest and best roots. A pkt. will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 100 ft. When sowing beets, carrots, parsley and parsnips, mix in a few radish seeds to mark the rows where the slower-growing vegetables were sown.

## Winter Radishes

These require cool weather at the finish of their growing season. Sow seed in early summer for fall use; in midsummer for late fall and winter. By storing roots in moist sand in the cellar, fresh, crisp radishes may be had during the early winter. We offer 3 best kinds. Give plants plenty of room by thinning out when young to stand 3 in. apart.

**967 Chinese Rose or Scarlet China** 55 days. Oval-shaped, 5 to 6 in. long and 2 in. in diameter. Skin deep rose, white tip. Flesh pure white and mildly pungent. Excellent for bunching or storage as it is a fine winter keeper.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

**971 Long Black Spanish** 60 days. Black-skinned with pure white flesh, crisp, solid and pungent; 7 to 10 in. long and 2 to 3 in. thick, nearly the same size at the bottom as the top.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.75

**963 White Chinese or Celestial** 60 days. Smooth, pure white roots, 6 to 8 in. long, with a diameter of 3 in. Flesh is crisp, juicy, icy white and of mild flavor—the least pungent of all winter radishes. They remain succulent for a long time.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$1.75



# Summer SQUASH

In descriptions, we give the average size of fruits when fully grown. For the best eating, summer squashes are used when immature, usually when very small; in fact, Early White (Scallop or Patty Pan) is delicious if cooked whole when very tiny—an inch or more across. Bush varieties take up little room and are especially adaptable for the small garden; running varieties need plenty of room for the vines to ramble over the ground. They may, like pumpkins, be planted among the corn, allowing 8 to 12 ft. of space for each group. See cultural directions on the next page for summer as well as winter squash, bush and running varieties.

## 1033 Early Prolific Straightneck © —Heavy yielder

50 days. Fruits are creamy-yellow and edible from the time they reach a length of 4 to 6 in. until they are 12 to 14 in. long and 3½ in. thick. More easily prepared for the table than curved necked fruits. Heavy yielder of fruits; smaller and earlier than Straightneck Summer. Bush plants, vigorous and very productive. Because of the straight neck, fruits can be more conveniently and economically packed for shipment in hampers or crates than the crooknecked varieties. All-America Winner.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

## 1018 Early Golden Summer Crookneck © —Used extensively

53 days. The most popular summer, curved neck squash. Fruits are small, distinctly crooknecked, with bright yellow skin and salmon-orange flesh of delicious flavor and fine texture. Suitable for freezing. At their best flavor when about 4 in. long, at which size they may be prepared for boiling without being peeled. Larger fruits if left to grow may be used for boiling or fried like eggplant. Full sized fruits average 10 in. long, 3 in. thick, the skin becoming deep golden orange and much warted. Average weight, 3 lbs. Plants are of bush growth and highly productive.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**1020 Giant Summer Crookneck** 58 days. The golden yellow fruits are larger than Early Golden Summer Crookneck, growing 14 in. and more long, 4 in. across with curved neck; flesh is thick, yellowish white. Bush-like plants.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**1025 Straightneck Summer** 58 days. Straightneck, golden orange, warted fruits, 18 in. long, 4 in. across. Finest salmon-yellow flesh. Its shape makes it popular with housewives. Bushy.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

**1028 Yankee Hybrid** 50 days. This is a true first generation hybrid with waxy yellow fruits 8 in. long, 3 in. across. Early, heavy yielder; good quality. All-America Winner. Valuable for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

**1030 Cocozelle Bush ©** 60 days. Also called **Italian Vegetable Marrow**. Oblong, dark green fruits, 14 in. and more in length, 4 to 5 in. thick; best if used when 6 to 8 in. long. Greenish white flesh.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10

**1060 Zucchini Bush** 56 days. The dark green fruits grow 13 in. long, 4 to 5 in. thick but are at the best edible stage when about 6 in. in length. Flesh is greenish white, adapted for freezing. Bush-like plants.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## 1010 Early White Bush ©

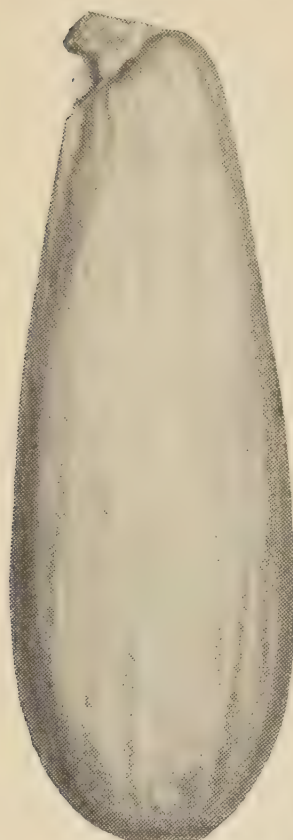
**(White Patty Pan)** 54 days. Fruits creamy white, 7 in. across, 3 in. deep, and scalloped around the edges; milk-white, delicious flesh. Widely used for stewing or boiling. Old favorite with home and market gardeners.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

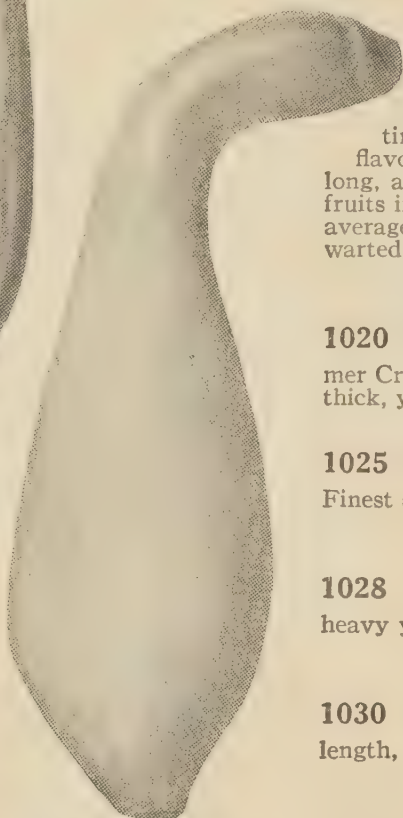
## 1027 Burpee's Fordhook Zucchini Improved ©

65 days. At best table stage, fruits are 12 in. long, 2 in. across, cylindrical, smooth, deep blackish green, straight to very slightly curved. If used at this size, the skin need not be removed. Flesh is creamy white and extremely tender; suitable for freezing. Allowed to grow, fruits may attain a length of 2 ft. and a diameter of 3½ in.; they may be used as long as the skin can be pierced with the thumbnail. Foliage is distinct. Bush plants, small enough for any garden.

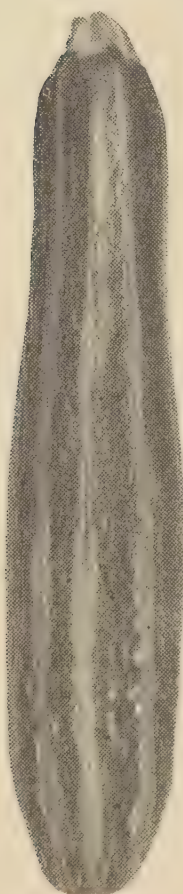
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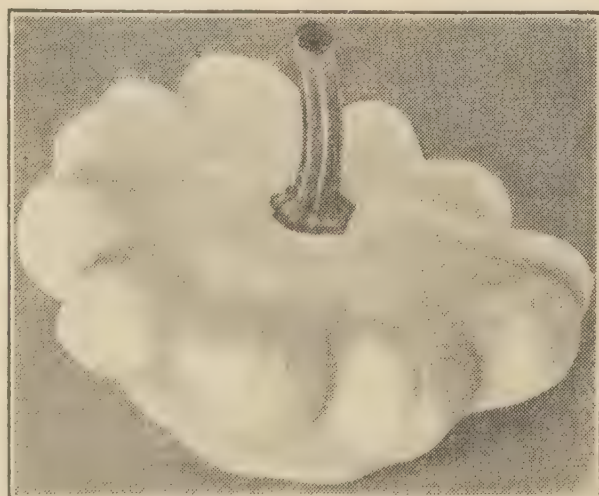
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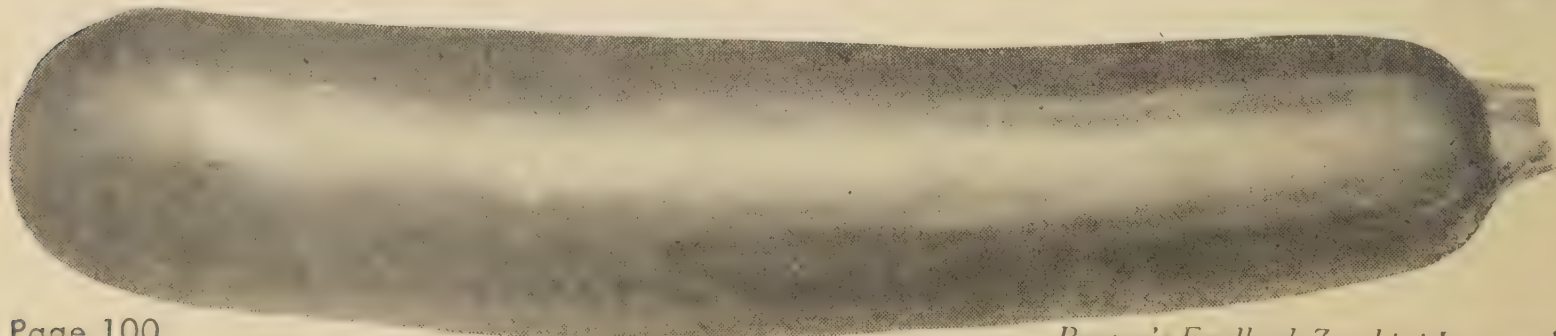
Early Golden  
Summer Crookneck



Cocozelle Bush  
or Italian  
Vegetable Marrow



Early White Bush



Burpee's Fordhook Zucchini Improved



# Fall and Winter SQUASH

These produce large hard-shelled fruits which are grown to full size and may be stored for use during the winter. Valuable for baking, boiling, making pies, etc. Many of the varieties here listed make excellent "pumpkin" pie and some are canned extensively for that purpose. Unlike summer squashes, fruits of the fall and winter varieties must remain on the vine until fully matured; gather them before frost, leaving part of the stem attached to the fruit. Handle carefully and avoid bruising. Easily stored in any dry place. Keep best if temperature of 70 to 75° F. is maintained for a week or two after which it should be held at 45 to 50° F.

## 1038 True Hubbard ⊙ — *Widely used*

115 days. Fairly large fruits with dark bronze-green warted skin, the toughness of which makes it a favorite for shipping and winter use; if properly stored, will keep until spring. 12 in. long and 10 in. thick; weigh about 12 lbs. Attractive deep orange-yellow flesh which is fine-grained, sweet and dry. The standard winter squash for all purposes, whether for freezing, home, market or shipping. We offer our own improved strain; it represents the perfection of winter squashes for pies, baking, boiling, etc. Unexcelled quality.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10

## 1042 Red or Golden Hubbard

110 days. Earlier, smaller and more prolific than the green warted Hubbards. Deep orange-red, moderately warted skin with cream-colored stripes and bright orange-yellow flesh, fine-grained, sweet and of luscious flavor. 11 in. long, 8 in. thick. Valuable for home, market, freezing and canning. Weight, 8 to 10 lbs.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## 1024 Butternut ⊙

85 days. An exceptionally meaty variety of excellent quality. The fruits are 10 to 12 in. long and 4 to 5 in. at greatest diameter; bottle shaped, smooth, dark buff colored skin and a hard shell. The flesh is orange, dry, sweet, fine textured and of excellent flavor either baked or boiled. Satisfactory for freezing. Heavy yielder; very early.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 1040 Warted Hubbard

120 days. Heavily warted skin of a rich dark green; flesh is golden yellow, cooks mealy and is excellent for pies. Suitable for freezing. Fruits are thick shelled which means a good winter keeper. Grow 13 in. long, 9 in. across; pointed at each end and weigh 14 to 16 lbs. Prolific.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## 1036 Boston Marrow

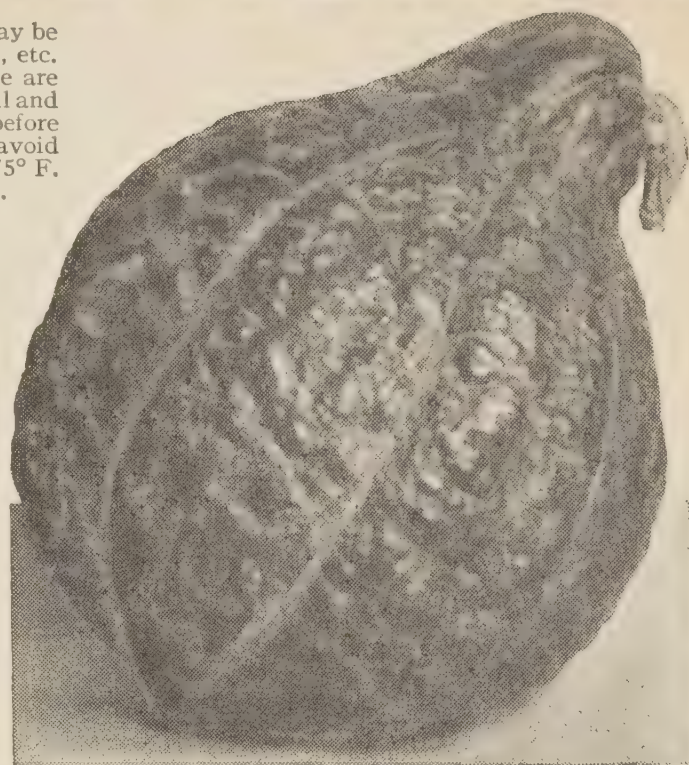
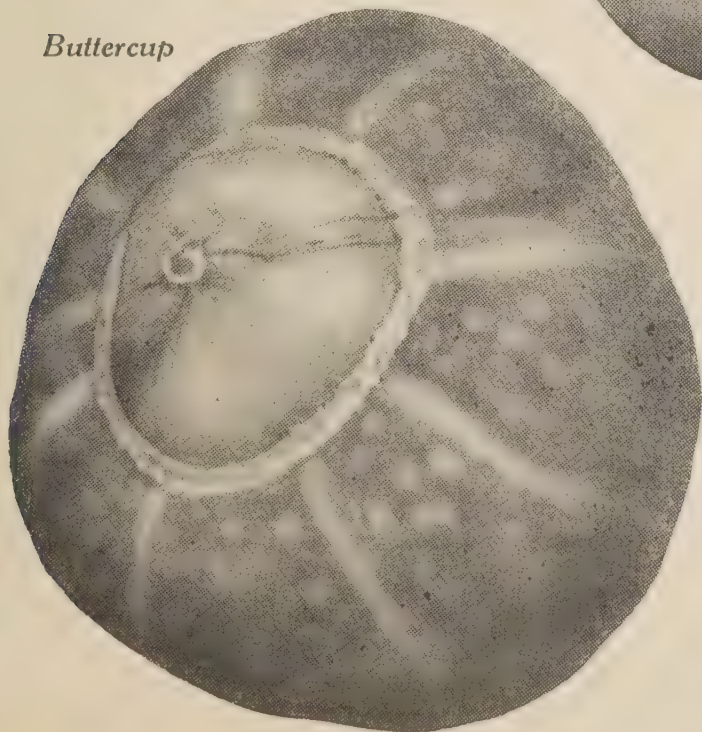
100 days. (Basket Pumpkin) Like a smooth Hubbard Squash with straight stem end. The fruits measure 9 by 14 in. and weigh 6 to 9 lbs. each. Light orange skin; deep orange flesh, which is moist, fine-grained, and most luscious. Desirable for home, market, canning and freezing.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 85¢

*Butternut*



*Buttercup*



*True Hubbard*

## 1022 Blue Hubbard

120 days. Attractive blue-gray, slightly ridged fruits which grow larger than the True Hubbard. The shell is rough and very hard, so keeping qualities are good. The flesh is bright yellow-orange, fine-grained, dry and exceptionally sweet. Desirable for freezing. Squashes grow 15 to 18 in. long and 9 to 12 in. across; average weight, 15 lbs. Fruits bulge at the middle, tapering sharply at each end; skin is slightly ridged. Vines are very productive. Easily stored.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## 1052 Delicious — *Green*

110 days. Medium-size, top-shaped, dark green squashes with light green markings. Fruits grow 11 in. long, 8 in. thick and will weigh from 5 to 10 lbs. each. The dry flesh is bright orange, thick, fine-grained, and of outstanding flavor. Very prolific and a splendid winter keeper. Suitable for pies, baking, canning, freezing and well known for its all 'round supreme quality.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

## 1017 Golden Delicious

105 days. Top-shaped, medium-size fruits 11 in. long, 8 in. across, weighing about 7 lbs. each. Skin is reddish orange; the flesh is orange, sweet, thick and fine-grained. Highly desirable for canning and freezing on account of its moderately dry flesh of best quality. Most excellent, productive squash for home garden or market.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

## 1015 Buttercup ⊙ — *Distinctly shaped; good flavor*

105 days. Fruits grow 4½ in. thick and 6½ in. across; weigh 4 to 5 lbs., the blossom end marked with a prominent "button." Skin is green, with stripes and spots of gray. The thick orange flesh cooks dry and sweet. Good keeper. Excellent quality.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

### How to Grow Squash

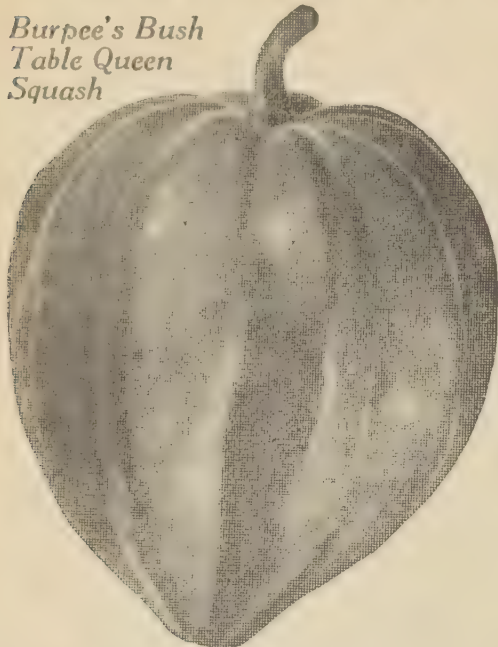
**Summer Squash.** Sow seed after all danger of frost has passed. Put 5 seeds in groups, allowing 2 to 3 in. between the seeds and spacing the groups of bush varieties 4 ft. apart each way and those of the running kinds either 8 by 8 ft. or 10 by 12 ft. apart. Thin bush varieties so that 3 or 4 of the strongest plants remain in a group; running varieties allow 2 or 3 plants to a group. A pkt. will plant 8 to 10 groups; an oz. 30 to 40 groups.

**Winter Squash.** Sow seed in the same way as given above for the running varieties of summer squash; 4 seeds in a group is sufficient. A pkt. will plant 6 to 8 groups; 1 oz. 20 to 30 groups. All varieties of squash grow best in a fertile, deep soil.



# SQUASH for Summer Use or Winter Storage

*Burpee's Bush  
Table Queen  
Squash*



Fruits may be used before the skin hardens, but the quality will be better if they are allowed to form a hard shell; splendid for winter storage. Fine-grained, sweet, tender flesh.

## 1037 Burpee's Bush Table Queen ☉—New

80 days. Developed on Fordhook Farms. Fruits are similar in size, shape and color to those of the green fruited Table Queen vine variety, described below; the flesh is of better quality. Plants, however, are of semi-bush growth, produce just as many fruits per plant as the vine variety but take less space in the garden so may be planted closer. Excellent keeper.

*Seed supply is limited.* Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 3 pkts. 60¢

**1011 Table Queen Vine** 85 days. Also known as **Acorn** and **Des Moines**. Acorn-shaped, 5 in. long and 4 in. thick; deeply ribbed, dark green skin and thick orange flesh that cooks dry and sweet. Baked halves are popular for individual servings. Good keepers. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

**1021 Burpee's Royal Acorn ☉** 82 days. A family-size Table Queen, with acorn-shaped fruits, 7½ in. long, 6 in. across, dull dark green in color, turning dull orange after a period of storage. Flesh is up to 1½ in. thick, dry and sweet, with baking quality as good as Table Queen. The keeping quality is excellent. Fruits may be used for boiling when immature, but for the best quality they should be allowed to develop until the shell is hard. Vines are vigorous growers and very productive, with large leaves. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

For other Squashes, see pages 100 and 101

## Burpee's SWISS CHARD

**"Cut and Come Again" vitamin-rich, crisp leaves; stands hot weather; abundant, continuous yielder**

Leaves are cooked and served like spinach and the mid-ribs like asparagus, or both may be cooked together. Leaf-stalks make delicious fritters. Cutting may be done by stripping or removing outer leaves of various plants, thus allowing the center and remaining leaves to grow, or entire plants may be cut off a couple inches above the crown and new leaves will be produced. A healthy and nutritious vegetable.

### 153 Burpee's Rhubarb Chard ☉

60 days. A Swiss Chard that looks like rhubarb. The leaf-stalks, considered by many as the most delicious part of the chard plant, are bright but delicate, translucent crimson; the rich color extends out through the veins into the dark green, heavily crumpled leaves. Easily grown, thrives everywhere. You will enjoy the different, tasty, delicious flavor of Burpee's rhubarb chard. Whether you cook the leaf-stalks alone, use only the leaves, or cook both together, you will find a sweetness you never knew existed in a leafy vegetable. Leaves and stalks are nice when used in flower arrangements; they keep fresh for a long time in water. We offer an outstanding, reselected, colorful strain.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.25

### 135 Burpee's Fordhook Giant ☉

60 days. The rich dark green leaves are much crumpled or savoyed, and when grown well, will measure 10 in. in width and 2½ ft. in length. The texture of the leaves is thick and fleshy. The pearly white stems or stalks measure 2½ in. in width and make an excellent dish prepared like asparagus. Plants are of giant size and yield a heavy crop.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.95

**137 Lucullus** 60 days. Well-known variety of Swiss Chard for which some culinary experts claim first place on account of its mild, spinach-like flavor. The light green, heavily savoyed, crumpled leaves grow to large size, and are very tender when cooked. The thick white stalks are splendid for creaming like asparagus.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

**136 Large Ribbed White** 60 days. Grown mostly for the broad, white, tender mid-ribs of the large, smooth green leaves. The succulent foliage is of thick texture and has a particularly nice flavor when cooked like spinach.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

**1002 Perpetual or Spinach Beet** 50 days. A form of leaf beet somewhat similar to chard; smooth green leaves with mid-rib hardly noticeable. Resistant to heat. Makes a good summer substitute for spinach. Quick grower and will produce an abundance of "greens" for a long period.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.45



*Burpee's Rhubarb Chard*

### How to Grow Swiss Chard

Sow seed any time from early spring until midsummer in rows 18 to 30 in. apart; cover with ½ in. of soil. When seedlings are 3 to 4 in. high, thin 8 to 10 in. apart in the row. The plants are quite hardy and will yield throughout the summer and fall until frost. All chards are suitable for freezing. They yield heavily wherever beets can be grown. A pkt. will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft.



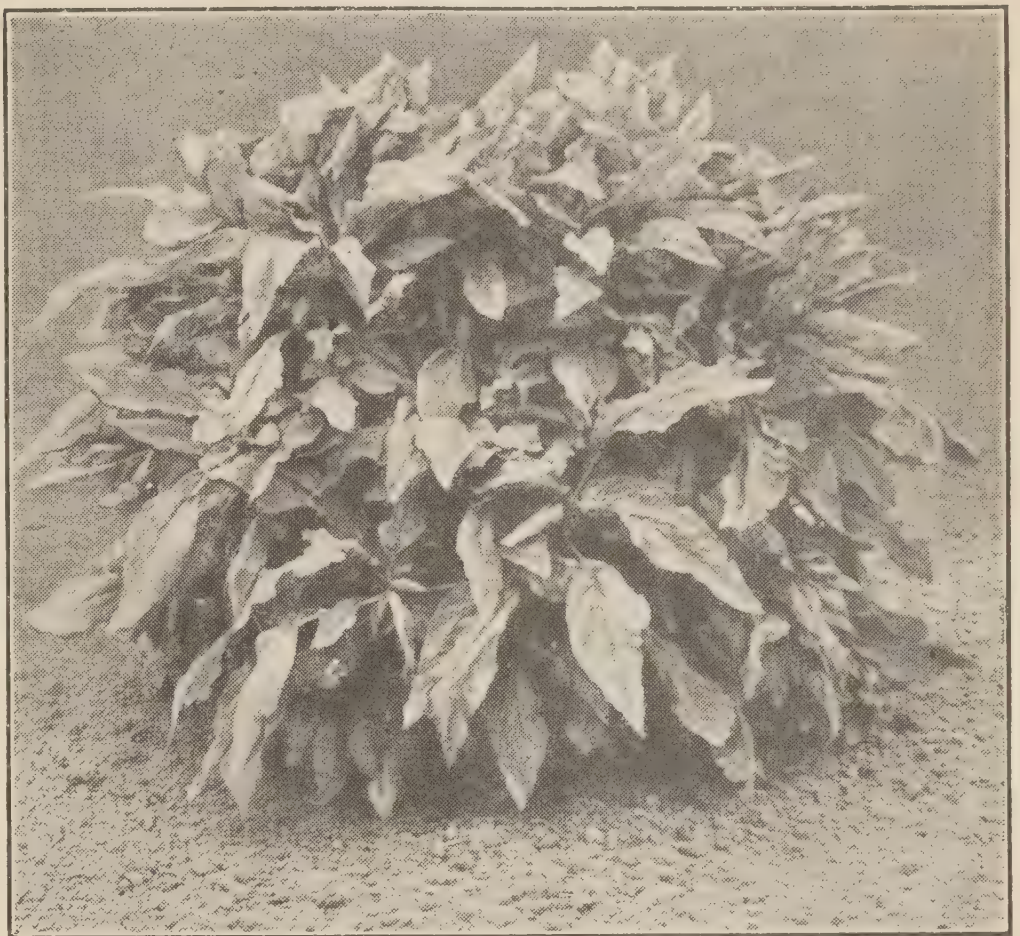
# A pleasing change from other "greens" **TAMPALA**

## BETTER THAN SPINACH—STANDS HOT WEATHER

Tampala, as a cooked, canned or quickly frozen green, is, in the opinion of many, far superior to spinach or Swiss Chard. Its color is more appetizing, its flavor more delicious, shrinks very little, holds its color better, and requires less cleaning and washing when preparing the leaves because they are smooth, not savoyed.

Tampala is a so-called hot-weather plant doing best when days are long. Seed, then, should not be sown until the ground has become warm. Within 6 to 8 weeks from sowing, Tampala is ready to use when the entire plants make the most delicious "greens," either eaten raw as a salad or cooked as you would spinach. For a continuous supply of the most tender leaves, make several successive sowings 10 days to 2 weeks apart and use young plants when 6 to 10 in. tall. However, a plant may be left every 2 ft. and leaves picked as they mature. So tender are the leaves that they require only 5 minutes to cook with just the water that clings to them when washed. Stems are cooked like asparagus for 8 to 10 minutes or a little longer, depending on size; they have a flavor suggestive of artichokes.

Tampala is a horticultural variety of *Amaranthus gangeticus* L.



*Burpee Fordhook Tampala*

### 1375 Burpee Tampala

A delicious green vegetable raw or cooked which has been enjoyed by the Chinese and the people of India for centuries. Introduced by us in 1944 as "Tampala" by which name it is known in India. Light green leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; 2 pkts. 35¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢;  
1/4 oz. 80¢; oz. \$2.25

### 1377 Burpee Fordhook Tampala

The darkest green-leaved selection of this newly recognized green leafy vegetable which has an unusually long period of usefulness in the summer garden.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢;  
1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00

### 1376 Burpee Red Tampala

It is equal in all respects to Burpee Tampala and Burpee Fordhook Tampala, but instead of the leaves being green they are variegated green and red, the red extending out along the veins of the dark green leaves whose underside also is red. When cooked, prepared, and served as you would spinach, it is most luscious.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢;  
1/4 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00

## Vegetable Gardens

### 7001 **\$1 Garden** **Burpee's** (for 1250 sq. ft.)

#### Contains

10 Bush Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod.	1 packet 10¢
48 Bush Bean, Pencil-Pod Wax or Yellow-Pod.	1 packet 10¢
115a Beet, Detroit Dark Red (Short Top)	1 packet 15¢
232 Carrot, Tendersweet.	1 packet 15¢
374 Cucumber, Burpee's Sunnybrook.	1 packet 25¢
485 Lettuce, Grand Rapids.	1 packet 10¢
680 Onion, Southport Yellow Globe.	1 packet 10¢
717 Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf.	1 packet 10¢
938 Radish, White Icicle.	1 packet 10¢
1033 Squash, Early Prolific Straightneck.	1 packet 10¢
301 Sweet Corn, Burpee's Golden Bantam.	1 packet 10¢
153 Swiss Chard, Burpee's Rhubarb.	1 packet 15¢
1072 Tomato, Rutgers.	1 packet 10¢
1163 Turnip, Purple-Top White Globe.	1 packet 10¢

Value \$1.70

Buy the complete garden for \$1; you save 70¢

### 7002 **\$2 Garden** **Burpee's** (for 3000 sq. ft.)

#### Contains

10 Bush Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod.	1/2 lb. 35¢
48 Bush Bean, Pencil-Pod Wax or Yellow-Pod.	1/2 lb. 35¢
115a Beet, Detroit Dark Red (Short Top)	1 oz. 35¢
157 Broccoli, Calabrese (Green Sprouting)	1 packet 15¢
192 Cabbage, Copenhagen Market	1 packet 15¢
232 Carrot, Tendersweet.	1/2 oz. 35¢
374 Cucumber, Burpee's Sunnybrook.	1 packet 25¢
485 Lettuce, Grand Rapids.	1 packet 10¢
680 Onion, Southport Yellow Globe.	1 packet 10¢
717 Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf.	1 packet 10¢
754 Peas, Blue Bantam.	1/2 lb. 35¢
938 Radish, White Icicle.	1 packet 10¢
1033 Squash, Early Prolific Straightneck.	1 packet 10¢
301 Sweet Corn, Burpee's Golden Bantam.	1/2 lb. 30¢
153 Swiss Chard, Burpee's Rhubarb.	1 packet 15¢
1072 Tomato, Rutgers.	1 packet 10¢
1163 Turnip, Purple-Top White Globe.	1 packet 10¢

Value \$3.45

All the above for only \$2; you save \$1.45



# Burpee's Hybrid Tomatoes

ALL CREATED ON BURPEE'S FORDHOOK FARMS

Unsurpassed for quality, uniformity and yield. Every seed from a hand pollinated fruit.

## New Giant Hybrid Tomato

### 1131 BURPEE'S BIG BOY

*Shown in color on back cover*

78 days. New, altogether different, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid; a splendid companion to our Burpeeana, Fordhook, Clinton and Burpee Hybrids. Big Boy is at its peak of performance in midseason, when many standard varieties decline in yield and size of fruit.

Plants are very large, extremely vigorous, semi-upright to spreading in habit; moderately dense dark green foliage protects the fruits from sun-scald.

Well grown fruits are extra large, average 10 ozs. with some weighing 1 lb. or more. Unlike other large fruited varieties, Big Boy tomatoes are perfectly smooth, deep globe to deep oblate in shape and very firm; scarlet-red skin, thick walls, with bright red meaty flesh of fine flavor and excellent quality. An ideal hybrid for the home garden and market grower, especially roadside sales.

The picture gives you some idea of the height of a staked plant, the size of the tomatoes and the quantity of fruit produced. Because of the extra strong, thick, sturdy, strong stemmed growth, be sure to provide tall, strong poles, preferably rough, to better hold string or other material used to tie up the plants.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢;  
3 pkts. \$1.35; 5 pkts. \$2.20

#### IMPORTANT—PLEASE READ

#### HYBRID TOMATOES

Hybrid Tomatoes are strong, vigorous growers and outyield regular varieties, the extra quantities coming, in large measure, from the soil. It can be readily understood that because Hybrid Tomatoes have the ability to produce larger plants and higher yield they must be fed more than standard tomatoes. Therefore, to produce a maximum crop of large fruits, we recommend that you maintain good fertility and moisture in your soil. For this purpose, it is desirable to make your fertilizer application at the time of planting and, if possible, cover the ground around the plants with well-rotted manure when plants begin to bloom or set their first fruit.

If you stake your plants, train them to a single stem and pinch off side shoots when very small. These side shoots develop at the joint where a leaf joins the main stem. Keep a close watch for such shoots as it takes only a few days for them to grow into a branch of good size, when they are more troublesome to remove.



*The new giant hybrid, Big Boy Tomato, and Dr. Oved Shifriss who developed it on Burpee's Fordhook Farms.*

#### How to Grow Tomatoes

Sow seed in a hotbed, or in a shallow box in the house, allowing 6 to 8 weeks to produce plants large enough for setting outdoors when weather becomes warm. When plants are about 2 in. tall, transplant to stand 4 in. apart each way, or pot singly in 3 in. pots. Plant outdoors when all danger of frost is past. Where summers are long, seed may be sown directly outdoors when soil and weather get warm. When plants are large enough to transplant, set them where they are to remain; such plants will come into bearing later than those started earlier indoors or in a hotbed. A pkt. of standard tomato seeds will produce about 200 plants; 1 oz. 2000. Days to maturity given in the descriptions are from field setting of the plants until first usable fruits are ready. Plants should be moved with a minimum of disturbance to the roots when transplanting or setting out in the garden.



# Hybrid TOMATOES

*Burpeeana Early Hybrid*  
Many clusters of eight  
fruits each are produced

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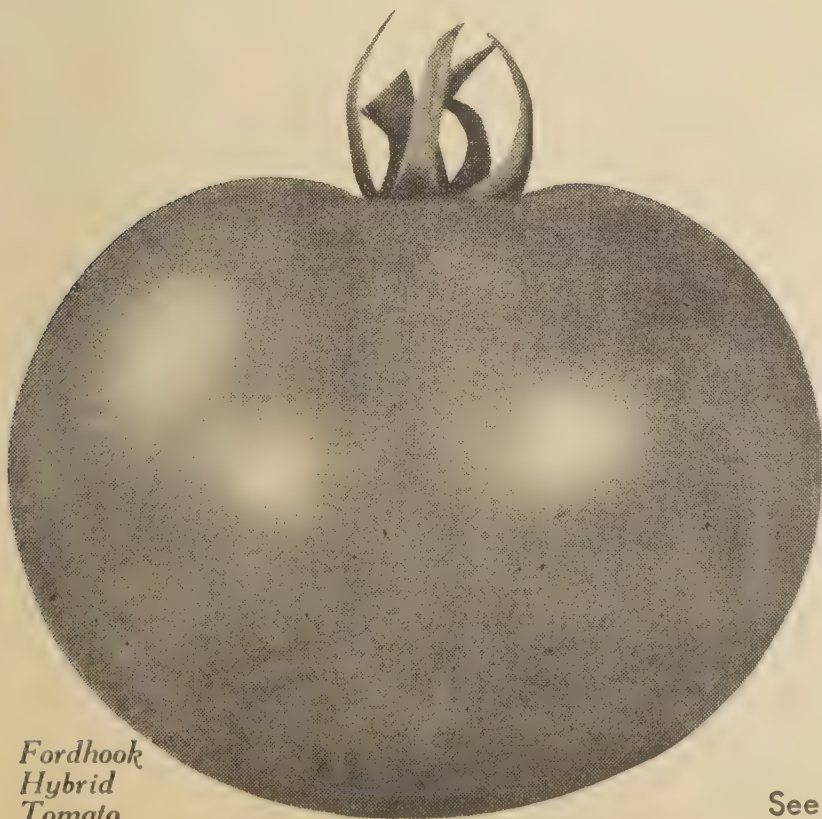
## BURPEEANA EARLY HYBRID

58 days. Distinctly different extra early, true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid tomato created at Burpee's Fordhook Farms, to offset the usual shortcomings of many of the open-pollinated early varieties. Fruits of Burpeeana Early are of an attractive, deep globular shape, medium size, smooth, firm, rich scarlet, average 5 ozs. in weight, and are borne profusely in clusters of from 5 to 8. At Fordhook Farms, Burpeeana Early produced the highest early yield of all varieties in our testing grounds. Quality is excellent; flavor is mild.

Plants are of spreading habit with plenty of foliage to afford protection from sun-scauld. Adapted to staking. Valuable early tomato for the home garden; profitable for early market. *Shown in color on the inside back cover.*

**Pkt.** (30 seeds) 35¢; **2 pkts.** 65¢;  
**3 pkts.** 90¢; **5 pkts.** \$1.45

For extra yield and more food per sq. ft. of garden space, plant hybrids wherever they are available. Burpee Surecross Hybrid Sweet Corn is offered on page 73; Burpee Snowcross Hybrid, page 74; Burpee Hybrid Cucumber, page 77; Burpee Hybrid Eggplant, page 80; Burpee Early Yellow Globe Hybrid Onion, page 91; Yankee Hybrid Squash, page 100 and Burpee's Hybrid Tomatoes, pages 104 to 106. Hundreds of testimonials could be printed, but space permits our quoting from only a few on Burpee's Hybrid Tomatoes.



*Fordhook  
Hybrid  
Tomato*

"—The hybrid tomatoes are tops. They are heavy bearers, uniform in size and perfect for eating or canning. . . ."

J. A. Dalton, Suffolk, Va.

"—We were highly pleased with the results we obtained from your seeds, particularly the Fordhook Hybrid and Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes—crop tremendous, size wonderful. . . ."

G. A. Smith, Willoughby, Ohio

"—I have been planting your hybrid tomato seeds for the past two seasons, and I am delighted with them. They are the most uniform in desirable characteristics. . . ."

R. R. Burton, Falls Church, Va.

"—I planted your hybrid seed last year and they did so well I planted them again this year. They stood the blight better than any other tomatoes. . . ."

C. A. Marshall, Petroleum, W. Va.

"—I have raised the hybrid tomatoes for two years and they beat anything I ever raised for quantity and quality. Also, the Burpee Hybrid Cucumber. . . ."

George Stadtler, Franklin, Pa.

"—Your Fordhook Hybrid Tomato I found wonderful for our climate—very early, very prolific—and excellent quality at the same time. . . ."

Miss F. K. W., North Whitefield, Maine

"—I grew your hybrid tomato last year and found them to be the finest that I have ever grown. They are the best, most productive, wilt-resistant and blight-resistant tomatoes that I have ever seen. . . ."

J. M. Okes, Princeton, W. Va.

## 1121 FORDHOOK HYBRID

60 days. Early, highly prolific, long bearing, true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid noted for its uniformly shaped, smooth fruits which are of medium size, average 6 ozs. in weight, oblate to globular in shape and borne most freely in large clusters. Colors evenly to a clear bright red all over; flesh is solid and mildly acid sweet. Seed cavities are small; interior is firm.

Fordhook Hybrid has established quite a good reputation for itself. Plants begin to bear early and continue to produce profusely through the season. Recommended for early market and home garden.

**Pkt.** (30 seeds) 35¢; **2 pkts.** 65¢;  
**3 pkts.** 90¢; **5 pkts.** \$1.45

See next page for other Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes . . 105



# Hybrid TOMATOES, continued

## 1132 BURPEE HYBRID

70 days. An all-purpose, main-crop, true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid outstanding for the quality and rich flavor of its fruits. It is a great producer; earlier and more prolific than Marglobe or Rutgers.

Fruits are medium to large, firm, thick walled, average 8 ozs. in weight, deep globular in shape, scarlet-red in color; flesh is meaty and of excellent quality. Has proved itself to be a valuable tomato for the home garden, market grower, "green wrap," canning and long-distance shipping. *Shown in color on the inside back cover.*

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; 5 pkts. \$1.45

"—The Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes I planted last season produced many more and finer tomatoes from fewer plants than I ever grew from twice the number of plants of regular tomatoes. . . ."

F. P. Campbell, Millersburg, Pa.

"—I have grown tomatoes for market and for home use for over 40 years, but this year I have grown the best ever in every way. The Burpee Hybrid has everything—color, firmness, flavor and immense size. I pruned my plants to one stalk and six blossom trusses. This gave a great yield of superlative fruits. The Burpee Hybrid should become an outstanding member of the tomato family. . . ."

Rev. P. A. Arnold, Richmond, Mich.

"—From 140 plants of Burpee Hybrid and Clinton Tomatoes, pruned to one stalk, I harvested, and sold, up to the present date, September 7th, 800 pounds of extra fancy fruit; and also used everything I could for home consumption and canning. Both of these hybrids are remarkably free from disease. The color and shape are ideal for market, ranging in weight from 8 to 15 ozs. . . ."

F. V. Gonzalez, Sioux City, Iowa

"—Seed of the Burpee Hybrid Tomato planted February 22nd, 1948; plants transplanted into pots, March 21st; potted plants set into garden, April 25th; picked first ripe tomato, June 3rd; on July 7th there had been 24 fine ripe tomatoes picked, and there were 78 tomatoes still on the plant. These tomatoes at ripening time are never smaller than door knobs and will usually be about 3 in. in diameter; of course, some larger. We raise plants for sale, specializing in tomatoes. One of our good customers, Fritz Koch, had to be "talked" into taking one plant to try them out, but he is now a very much "sold" hybrid man. . . ."

The Townsend Greenhouse, Burlington, Kansas

"—Mr. Koch and I have been delighted with the results from the Burpee Hybrid Tomato plant which we purchased from the Townsend Greenhouse. . . ."

Mrs. Fritz Koch, Burlington, Kansas

## 1135 CLINTON HYBRID

75 days. Burpee's highly prolific, true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid, main-crop, all-purpose tomato which has proved very satisfactory in many sections even in the Middlewest. For that reason, we named it Clinton in honor of Clinton, Iowa, Burpee's Western Headquarters.

Plants are large, vigorous, with medium-dense, dark green foliage. Fruits are large, weigh about 8 ozs.; bright scarlet, globular-oblate in shape, with firm, meaty flesh of the most excellent quality.

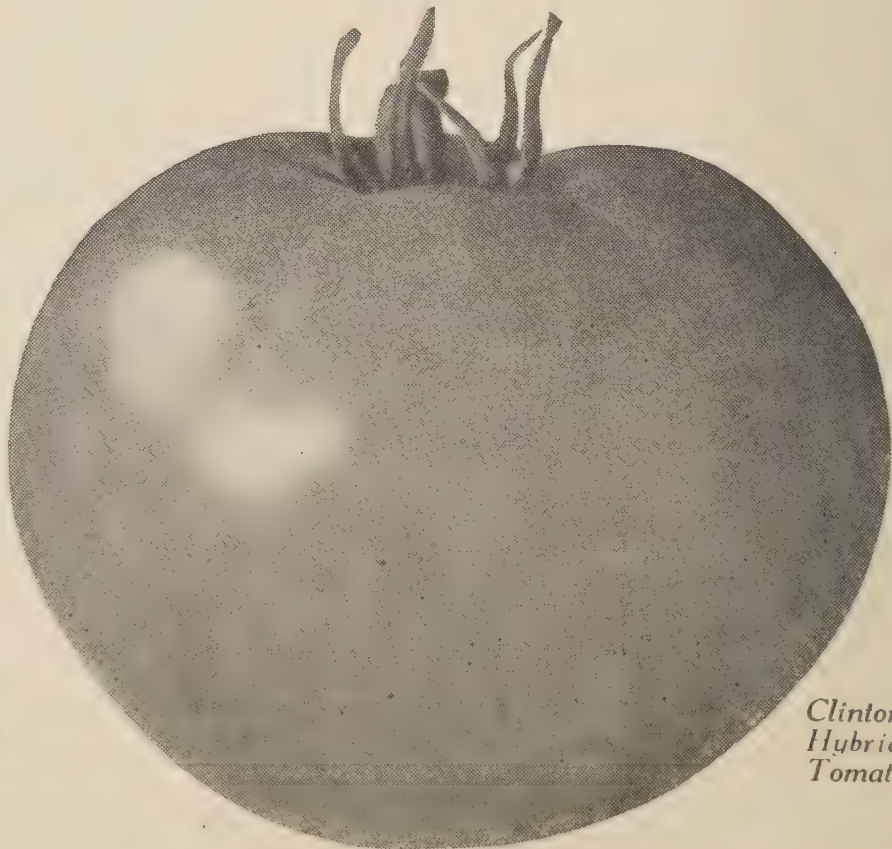
Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; 5 pkts. \$1.45



Burpee Hybrid Tomato

### WHY HYBRID VEGETABLES ?

It is a well-known fact that true hybrids grow faster than open-pollinated varieties, show more vigor, produce greater yields and often, over a longer period of time, bear a more uniform product and, very often, it is possible to incorporate into the hybrids resistance to a number of diseases. Many hybrids not only combine the best features of their parents but even far surpass the best that either parent has to offer.



Clinton Hybrid Tomato



# Burpee's Red TOMATOES

## STANDARD VARIETIES

### 1115 Beefsteak—Known as Crimson Cushion

80 days. The largest red-fruited tomato. Resembles Ponderosa in many ways except color—Ponderosa has purplish pink skin while Beefsteak is scarlet-red. Big, vigorous vines produce an abundance of extra-large size fruits which are more or less ribbed. Flesh is a beautiful deep scarlet color; juicy, solid, and has a rich sub-acid flavor. Grown extensively by home gardeners.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$4.00

### 1120C Bonny Best, Certified

66 days. One of the most popular second-early tomatoes for shippers, canners, home and market. Fruits are smooth, solid, scarlet-red, slightly flattened globe shape, and borne on medium size, vigorous vines which yield a heavy crop in clusters of 3 to 5. Particularly adapted for growing in the northern states.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1120 Bonny Best—Early, large, smooth

66 days. Grown and harvested under the most favorable conditions from select seed but fields were not inspected for certification.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 1079 Bounty—Valuable for small gardens

61 days. First-early, heavy cropping tomato developed especially for the northern states, Canada, as well as dry and mountain areas. Fruits are scarlet, average 5 ozs. in weight, semi-globular, smooth and remarkably free from stem-end cracks. Plants are small, short, and may be set as close as 2 ft. apart in the row.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1125 Break O'Day—Wilt, rust resistant

63 days. Medium large, bright red, smooth, globe-shaped fruits of splendid flavor for home and market. Best adapted to rich, heavy soils. Has considerable resistance to fusarium wilt and rust.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 1077 Burpee's Gloriana—Very early

55 days. Of the Earliana type, but excelling it in quality, shape and appearance, yield, and length of bearing season. The plant is small at the beginning of the season, becoming medium size when fully grown. The medium scarlet-red, semi-globular fruits average 5 ozs. in weight and are produced in very large clusters.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; ¼ lb. \$4.25

### 1108 Burpee's Matchless

78 days. Strong, vigorous plants which produce an enormous crop of large, handsome fruits that are meaty, rich scarlet-red in color, perfectly smooth, firm, solid and long-keeping. The flavor is deliciously sub-acid and tasty. Valuable for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1097 Burpee's Sunnybrook Earliana

58 days. Our improved strain of Earliana. Earliness, smoothness, uniformity of fruit and productivity have all been stressed in an effort to produce a tomato that is really superior. Fruits are of medium size, scarlet-red, solid, fleshy, and with a tart but agreeable flavor. Splendid extra early tomato for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.25

### 1118 Burpee's Table Talk

75 days. The fruit, unusual in that it combines large size with deep globular form, averages 7 to 8½ ozs., and is bright scarlet, uniform and attractive. Slice Burpee's Table Talk Tomato and you will marvel at the structure and the firmness of its firm interior. Plant is short stemmed and bushy, but with no self-topping tendency. Leaves are small and set closely together, thus forming a dense mass of foliage which protects the fruit from sun-scald.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.25

### 1081C Greater Baltimore, Certified

78 days. An important canning variety in the South and Middle-west, because of its resistance to heat and drought. Strong-growing vines bear a heavy crop of red, flattened but deep fruits weighing 6 to 7 ozs. A large-fruited, heavy yielding tomato for the home garden and to some extent for market in certain sections.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1081 Greater Baltimore—Heavy yielder

78 days. Very fine stock, identical to the above but not inspected for certification. One of the most highly colored of all tomatoes.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50



### 1089C Marglobe, Certified

#### Burpee's Special Fordhook Strain

73 days. This remarkable strain is the result of many years of selection on our Fordhook Farms. In making our selections, we have stressed heavy vine growth, uniformity of vine and fruit, yield, large fruit size, shipping quality and resistance to fusarium wilt. Vines are large and vigorous, giving full protection to the crop. Fruits are globe-shaped, rich red inside and out, with thick internal and outer walls and small cells; the flavor is slightly sweet. Probably the most widely used main-crop tomato for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1089 Marglobe—A most important tomato

73 days. Grown from the same stock seed of our highly selected strain and under the same conditions, but crop was not inspected for certification. Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 1113C Grothen's Globe, Certified

68 days. A heavy vined selection from Break O'Day which has given remarkable results as a market tomato in many sections. Fruits are globe-shaped, with well-rounded shoulders; average 7 ozs. in weight; walls are thick and firm; skin is brilliant red, free from yellow color at the stem end. Interior is solid and meaty.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00

### 1113 Grothen's Globe—Prolific bearer

68 days. Identical with the above variety except the crops were not field inspected and certified by the Agricultural Department.

Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

### 1087 John Baer—Popular in many sections

66 days. The rich, scarlet-red fruits are thick through and slightly flattened at the top; smooth, firm, and medium large. A favorably known home gardeners' tomato in some sections for main-crop.

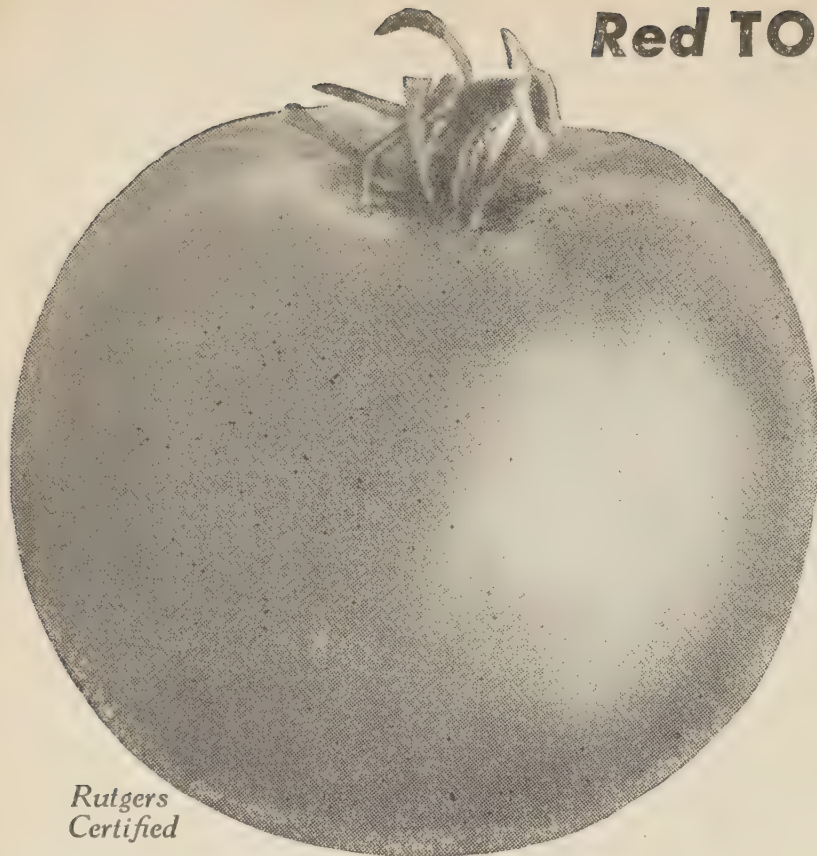
Pkt. 10¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### EXPLANATION OF CERTIFIED TOMATO SEED

Seed listed as "Certified" is produced from crops that were inspected and certified as to freedom from seed borne disease by the Agricultural Department of the state in which they were grown. It is well worth its slight additional cost.



# Red TOMATOES—continued



Rutgers  
Certified

## 1072C Rutgers, Certified Ⓞ

74 days. One of the most popular general purpose tomatoes; good color, fine flavor and large fruit size,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to  $7\frac{1}{2}$  ozs., makes it favored over many others for home or market. Globular, slightly flattened, smooth, bright red, heavy walls and small cells. Most valuable for canning and juice. Vine is vigorous, heavy, and wilt-resistant to a high degree. Fruits ripen from the interior outwards.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1072 Rutgers—Does well on light soils

74 days. Description of Rutgers Certified is the same as for Rutgers which was grown from the same stock seed but the crop was not inspected for certification. Widely grown, main-crop tomato.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.75

## 1119 Pan America—Wilt resistant

75 days. Ripe fruits are globular to deep oblate in shape, bright scarlet, with a scarlet-red interior, and weigh about 7 ozs. Foliage is sufficiently dense to shade the fruit during development. Possesses a higher degree of resistance to fusarium wilt than any other garden variety of tomatoes. Recently developed by the U.S.D.A.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.25

## 1123 Pennheart—Early; heavy cropper

63 days. Developed from a cross of Oxheart and Penn State Earliana. Plants are dwarf and determinate; not well suited to staking. Scarlet-red fruits are solid, meaty, flattened globe in shape. Produces more ripe fruits than other extra early varieties at the first picking. Valuable for local market and home garden.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1106C Pritchard or Scarlet Topper, Certified Ⓞ

70 days. Ideal all-purpose red tomato for growing in soil of high fertility. The "self-topping" habit prevents excessive vine growth under all conditions. Produces an abundant crop of bright red, globe-shaped fruits of medium size and excellent quality. Very smooth and uniform. Another of the popular wilt-resistant tomatoes developed by Dr. Pritchard of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. Highly resistant to fusarium wilt.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1106 Pritchard or Scarlet Topper

70 days. Identical with the above variety except the crops were not field inspected and certified by the Agricultural Department.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50

## 1144 Red Cloud—Very early; productive

62 days. An early, prolific, heat resistant variety of excellent fruit color and compact, determinate vine growth. The beautiful and uniformly colored fruits are deep round to flat-round and of excellent size for an early type. Well adapted to the Midwest, California, Texas and elsewhere. Valuable for the home garden and early market. Of good quality and flavor. Size runs quite uniform.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1126C Stokesdale, Certified Ⓞ

70 days. Second-early to midseason tomato suited for home use, market and canning. Fruits are smooth, solid, deep round, bright scarlet throughout, medium sized and of fine quality. Plant is of vigorous, semi-spreading, open habit and a heavy yielder.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1074C Stone, Certified—Good quality late

81 days. Favorite late or main-crop tomato that is widely grown in home gardens throughout the country and to some extent for canning and market. The quality is good for all purposes. Vines are very large, and well covered with foliage. Fruits are scarlet-red, deep, flattened, smooth and weigh from  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to  $7\frac{1}{2}$  ozs.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1074 Stone—An old favorite main-crop late tomato

81 days. Grown from the same stock seed and under the same conditions as the certified but crop was not inspected for certification.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50

## 1124C Valiant, Certified

65 days. An early, large-fruited variety which, because of its size and yielding ability is gaining popularity for both home and market use. Plant is vigorous, medium in size, spreading and somewhat open habit of growth. The red fruits are medium large, deep globular, meaty, much superior to the old extra-early Earliana.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## 1073 Victor—All-America Winner; first early

60 days. Vigorous, extra-early, even-ripening, small vined tomato of determinate growth so that they may be planted as close as 2 ft. apart. Should not be staked. Tomatoes are scarlet, very uniformly colored, average 5 ozs. in weight, semi-globular, fairly smooth and refined in appearance. Flesh is solid and fine flavored.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

## Small Fruited Tomatoes

**1147 Red Cherry** 72 days. Small, round-fruited, scarlet tomatoes  $\frac{7}{8}$  in. across are freely borne in clusters throughout the summer. Gets its name from the shape and size of the fruits which are used for preserving and salads, or chilled, and eaten whole.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

**1146 San Marzano** 70 days. Highly productive and extensively grown for canning whole, for puree and making "tomato paste." Fruits are plum-shaped,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, non-cracking, borne in clusters and with the most intense red of all commercial tomatoes. Exceptionally meaty, free from juicy pulp and of very mild flavor. Ripe fruits are long-lasting on the vine or in storage. They are fine if peeled whole for distinctive salads. Vigorous vines bearing from midseason until frost.

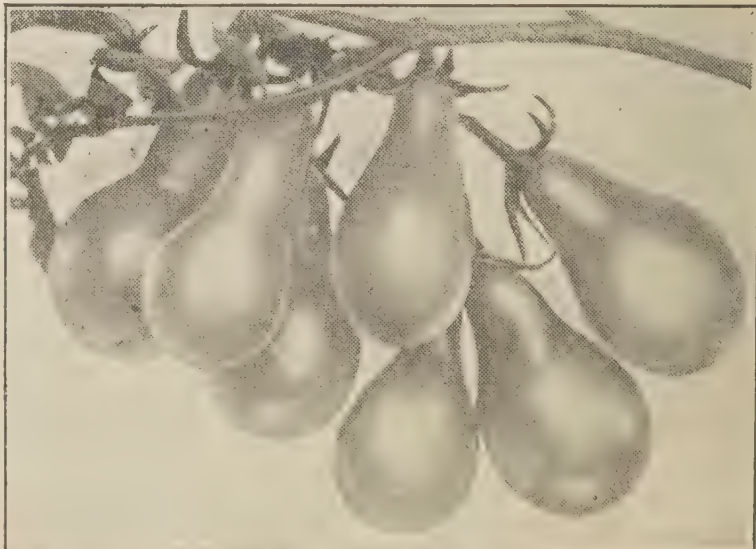
Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.75

**1139 Yellow Pear** 70 days. Fruits are yellow, pear-shaped with definite neck;  $1\frac{3}{4}$  to 2 in. long and 1 in. in diameter. Of exceedingly mild and pleasing flavor; sweet and delicious. Fine for salads in the fresh state, or for preserving and pickling.

Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00

**1137 Yellow Plum** 70 days. Immensely productive small fleshy tomato, the size and shape of a plum, 2 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Bright lemon-yellow skin; fine for preserves or salads. May be served whole and eaten raw. Sweet and of a most delicious flavor.

Pkt. 10¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50



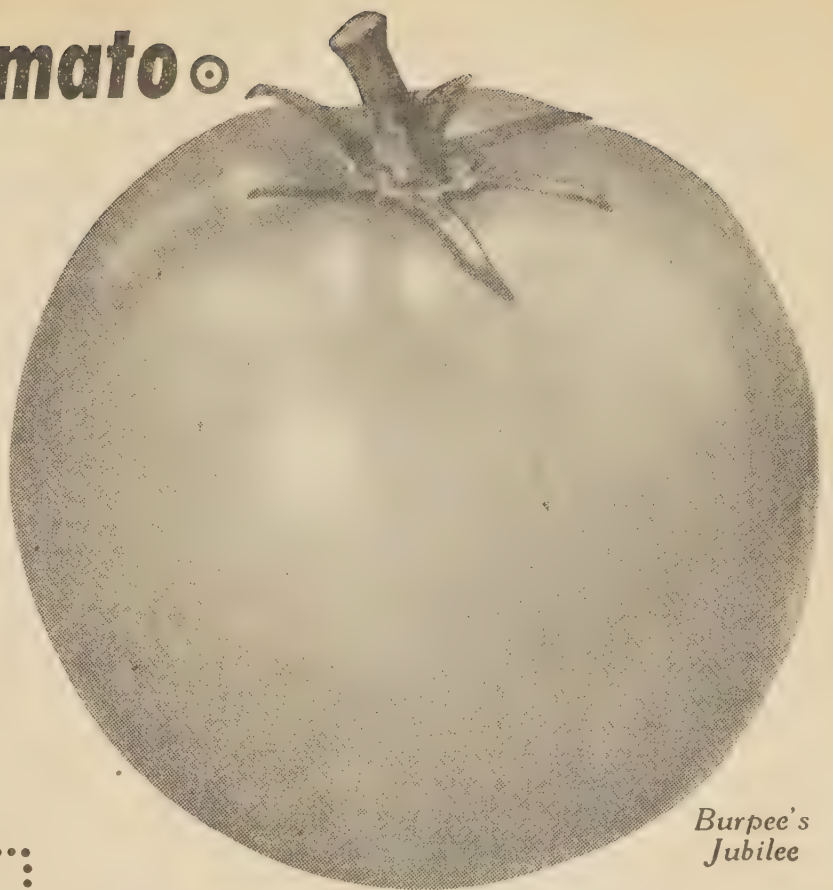
Yellow Pear Tomatoes



# Burpee's Jubilee Tomato

*Orange skinned, orange fleshed*

**1111 Jubilee** compares favorably with the best of the standard red varieties in shape, smoothness, quality and solidity. Entirely different from any yellow or orange tomato you have ever grown. Fruits are large, golden orange, deep-globular, heavy, full flavored and really delicious; the orange colored interior is modern, thick-walled, with few seeds. Most attractive when sliced and does not leak when cut. Makes delicious juice. Very high in Vitamins A and C. Nice if served alone or with red fleshed varieties. Being mild and free of acidity, they are preferred by many to the best red tomatoes. If you are one of the few who have not enjoyed the delicious flavor and good eating qualities of Burpee's Jubilee Tomato, an All-America Winner, be sure to grow it this year. A taste thrill is in store for you. Ready in about 72 days. **Pkt. 20¢; 1/4 oz. 50¢; 1/2 oz. 85¢; oz. \$1.60; 1/4 lb. \$4.75**



*Burpee's Jubilee*

## Three of the Best Tomatoes for the Home Garden

**Burpee's Sunnybrook Earliana, Burpee's Jubilee and Marglobe Certified**

**7038—3 Pkts.,** one each of these three varieties, value 50¢ for only **40¢**

## Sizes and weights of tomatoes

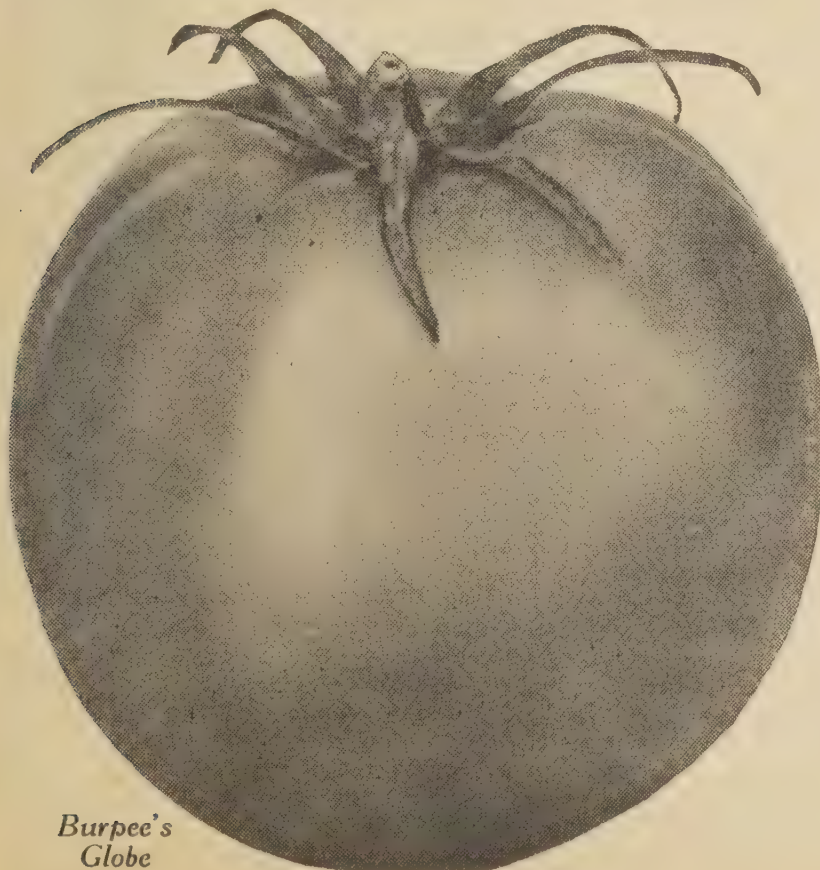
given in our descriptions are for the general field-run of fruits. Customers often write us that they have produced tomatoes bigger than we state they will grow. This is not surprising for with special care, proper fertilizing, watering, pruning, staking, etc., they may easily do better than we claim. This might readily apply to other vegetables, as well as tomatoes.

## Pink Fruited Tomatoes

For years it has been customary to refer to the following varieties as pink fruited; the skin is really pinkish red to purplish pink. They are usually milder and more delicate in flavor than red fruited tomatoes.

### 1091 Oxheart—Extra large, deep fruits

86 days. One of the largest pink tomatoes ever introduced, great depth and very smooth. The oxheart shape of the pinkish red fruits is most distinct; interior is extremely solid with thick, firm walls and small seed cavities with few seeds. Primarily a home garden variety but readily salable on local markets and roadside stands. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; 1/4 lb. \$4.25**



*Burpee's Oxheart*

### 1092 Burpee's Globe —Extra choice

80 days. Decidedly distinct tomato of superior merit. The strong, healthy vines produce an enormous crop of uniform, medium to large size, rich, pinkish red tomatoes. The globe-shaped fruits grow in clusters of 6 to 10; solid, meaty, and free from any core. Contains little or no acid and is a shy seeder, the seed cavities being full of solid meat. Excellent for home and market garden where a main-crop pink tomato of solidity and quality with high yielding ability is desired. Adapted to pruning and staking as well as greenhouse forcing.

**Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; 1/4 lb. \$3.00**

If you make your own tomato juice, try putting a sweet basil leaf in each quart of juice for additional flavor. Sweet basil is listed with other herbs on page 81. All herbs are easily grown.

### 1114 True Giant Ponderosa

83 days. Grow extremely large and are full of luscious, juicy flesh. The seed cavities are remarkably small, which accounts for the solid meat. It is not unusual for the tomatoes to weigh 24 ozs. and more, though the average runs around 9 ozs. They are deep and somewhat flattened. Persons who do not care for the acid flavor of the deep red tomatoes will find in Ponderosa a very palatable and tasty fruit of a delightful mild flavor. Essentially a home garden tomato although it finds ready sale on local markets. Fruits resemble Beefsteak in size and shape, but differ in color of skin—Beefsteak is scarlet-red while Ponderosa is purplish pink. Both are good eating. **Pkt. 15¢; 1/2 oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; 1/4 lb. \$4.25**

Mulching tomato plants with a heavy layer of straw to retain soil moisture usually results in larger yields over a longer period of time, cleaner fruits, less cracking and less loss from blossom-end rot; it keeps down weeds, too, which is quite important.

Sow Burpee's Seeds—they are Guaranteed . . 109



# Burpee's TURNIPS

At their best when growth is made during cool weather. Plant the Extra Early Milan varieties in the spring for their roots and the foliage types for their tops which are much used for "greens." Sow any variety in late summer for fall use or storing of the roots for use during the winter.—Purple-Top White Globe being the most popular variety. Frost improves the flavor of foliage turnips.

## 1163 Purple-Top White Globe ☉

55 days. The roots will grow to large size, 4 to 5 in. across. They are nearly round and show a bright purplish red color on the upper part of the root which extends above the surface. The lower portion is creamy white. Flesh is white, firm, crisp, and of mild-sweet flavor, raw or cooked. Best used when the roots are 2 to 3 in. in diameter. Very popular for home garden, market, shipping, freezing and winter storing. The leading white fleshed turnip. Heavy cropper.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

## 1157 Early Red or Purple-Top Strap Leaf

48 days. Large, flat roots, 4 to 5 in. across. Deep purplish red on top, milky white in lower portion. Fine-grained, sweet, tender, white flesh, deliciously flavored and of splendid quality for the table. Very quick grower; uniform in size, coloring and shape. Larger than the Milans. Suitable for freezing. Medium small tops.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

Purple-Top  
White Globe  
Turnip

## 1161 Extra Early Purple-Top Milan

45 days. Flattened roots, 3 to 4 in. across with smooth white skin tinted purple on top. White flesh, tender and delicate. Adapted to spring and fall planting outdoors as well as forcing under glass.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 65¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.10; lb. \$1.95

## 1159 Extra Early White Milan

45 days. Identical with above except the skin and flesh are pure white. Old favorite for home, market gardens and especially desirable for forcing. Flesh is of fine flavor, mild and tender.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 30¢; 1/4 lb. 65¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.10; lb. \$1.95

**1183 Golden Ball ☉** 60 days. Perfectly globe-shaped, bright creamy yellow turnips with appetizing, pale amber-colored flesh. The best yellow-fleshed variety for spring or fall. Also known as **Orange Jelly**.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

## 1179 Large Yellow or Amber Globe

70 days. Large roots, almost round. The skin is pale amber and the flesh is creamy yellow. Chiefly grown for stock feeding, but young roots are good for table use, being particularly palatable, mild and appetizing.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

## 1169 White Egg

55 days. Oval or egg-shaped turnips, 2 1/2 in. across, 3 in. deep, with white skin and flesh. Grown extensively in the South for home and market.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 75¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.20; lb. \$2.00

## 1162 Foliage or Shogoin ☉

30 days to use foliage, 70 days for roots. The tops are large, 18 to 20 in. tall, plentiful, tender, and of a mild, delicate flavor; they are ready for use as "greens" in about 30 days and may be used at any time during the growing season. Also produces a white turnip, 3 to 4 in. thick, flattened globe-shaped, white skin and flesh. Tops and roots may be cooked together.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

## 1177 Seven Top (Foliage Turnip)

50 days. Much grown for "greens" in the South. Roots inedible.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 20¢; 1/4 lb. 50¢; 1/2 lb. 90¢; lb. \$1.50

## 154 Broccoli Rapa

Also known as **Perennial Turnip**. Produces many small green heads which are cut while green with about 6 in. of stalk. One of the first vegetables to mature in the spring if seed is sown in late summer or early fall of the previous year. Tops and flower shoots are considered by some as superior in flavor to other turnip "greens."

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 75¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.25

## How to Grow Turnips

Sow the Milan and Foliage varieties in the spring as soon as the soil can be worked; space rows 12 to 15 in. apart. Thin seedlings to stand 2 to 4 in. apart in the row. For succession, make 2 or 3 sowings at two-week intervals. For fall and winter crop, sow in late summer in rows or broadcast about 3 months before your first expected hard frost. A pkt. will plant about 50 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

# RUTABAGAS or SWEDE TURNIP

Rutabagas require a longer season to mature than turnips and are best grown as a fall crop. Sow seed from early to late midsummer, in rows 15 to 24 in. apart. Cover with 1/2 in. of fine soil and thin the seedlings to stand 6 to 8 in. apart in the row. May be stored in a cool cellar or pit and used throughout the winter. The flavor of rutabagas is preferred by many to that of turnips. A packet will sow about 50 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft. Sometimes called "yellow turnips."

## 1191 Burpee's Purple-Top Yellow ☉

90 days. Large, smooth, globe-shaped roots with rich purplish coloring in the upper portion and deep yellow below the soil. Sweet, fine-grained, yellow flesh cooking to bright orange. Productive and will keep in fine condition until quite late in the spring. The leading rutabaga for table use during the fall and winter; also used for stock feeding. The necks are relatively small; the tops medium to large.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 55¢; 1/2 lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.65

**1192 Laurentian** 100 days. Smooth, purple-top, thick skinned, narrow necked roots with fine-grained, light yellow to cream flesh of excellent quality. Good keeper.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; 1/4 lb. 75¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.20; lb. \$2.00

**1194 Golden Neckless** 85 days. Favorite variety for fall use and winter storage. Attractive large yellow roots of globular form, with purple top; flesh is tender, sweet, golden yellow cooking to bright orange.

Pkt. 10¢; oz. 25¢; 1/4 lb. 60¢; 1/2 lb. \$1.10; lb. \$1.75

Burpee Seeds Grow  
and are  
The Best Seeds  
That Grow

Burpee's  
Purple-Top  
Yellow  
Rutabaga



# Burpee's Perennial Vegetables

## ASPARAGUS—Roots and Seed

Asparagus does well in any well-drained garden soil and for best results should be enriched with manure and fertilizer. Roots should be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked, spacing them 15 to 18 in. apart in rows 2½ ft. or more apart. They are available during March, April and early May; orders are filled in rotation as received. Seed should be sown as early in the spring as ground can be prepared. When the roots are 1 or 2 years old, transplant them to their permanent location. A pkt. of seed will produce about 100 roots; an oz. about 750 roots.

### Mary Washington—*Our most valuable green asparagus for home, market, canning and freezing*

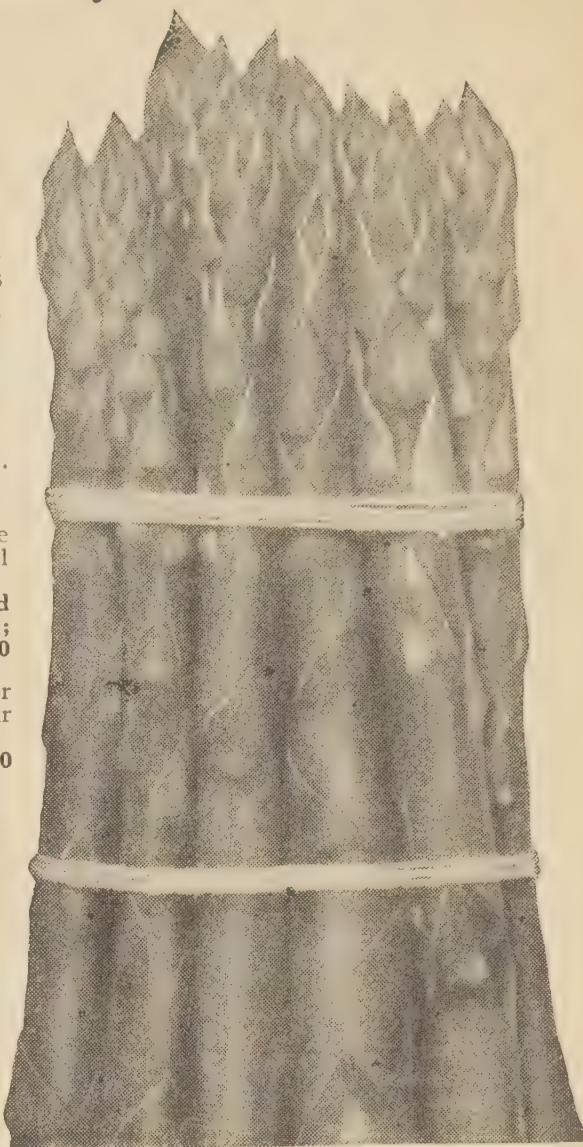
The shoots are thick, heavy, and straight; dark green, slightly tinged purple at the tips. Uniform, heavy yielder and fine flavor; highly resistant to asparagus rust.

**9950 Roots (Large 1-Year-Old)** Larger than average one-year-old roots, these will give a light cutting next spring and regular cuttings each year thereafter. Cultural directions are sent with every order of roots which are carefully graded and packed.

25 roots for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.60, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 250 roots or more @ \$25.50 per 1000;  
2000 roots or more @ \$23.00 per 1000

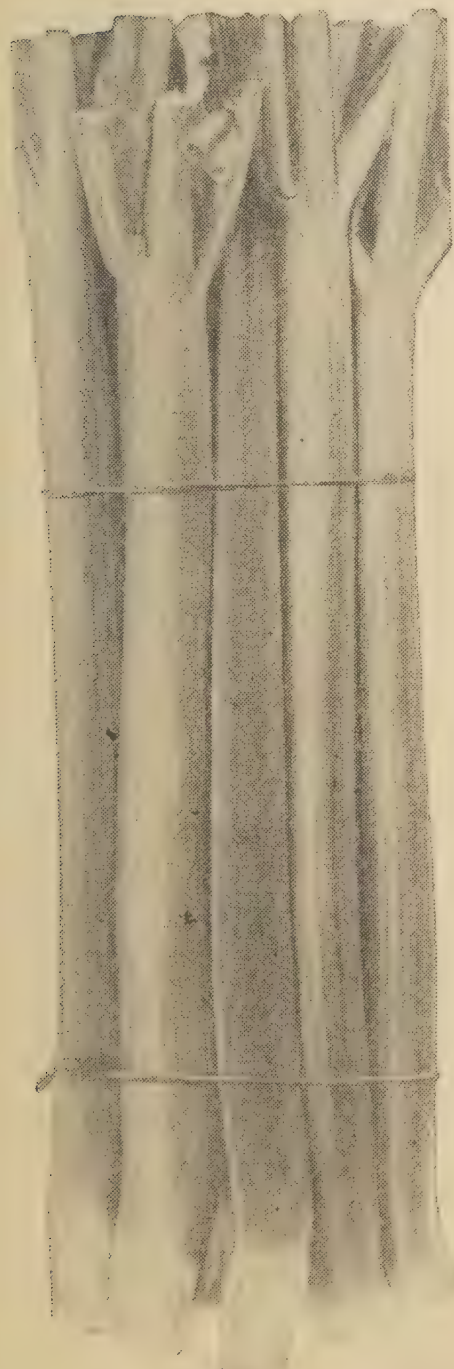
**9 Seed** A light cutting of stalks in three years and regular cuttings each year thereafter may be had from plants raised from seed sown this spring. For quicker results, plant our large 1-year-old roots offered above; 50 roots will plant 65 to 75 ft. of row.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.50



Mary Washington Asparagus

## HORSE-RADISH ROOTS



MacDonald Rhubarb

**9956 Maliner Kren** The true Bohemian Horse-Radish, and the standard variety for condiment use. Well known for its vigorous growth and large-sized white roots. We offer small sets or roots of the right size for planting in the spring to furnish large roots for use in the late fall or winter. Full cultural directions are sent with every order. Available during March, April and early May. 6 roots for 40¢;

12 for 70¢; 50 for \$2.75, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 250 roots or more  
@ \$20.00 per 1000;  
2000 or more @ \$19.00 per 1000

## RHUBARB—Roots and Seed

The succulent stems of rhubarb are an appetizing dessert, either stewed or in pies. Never use rhubarb leaves for food purposes. Space roots 3 to 4 ft. apart; cover the crown with 3 to 4 in. of soil. Full planting instructions are sent with every order of roots which are available during March, April and early May. Sow seed early in the spring in rows 18 in. apart. Thin the seedlings to stand 7 to 12 in. apart in the row. The following spring transplant to a permanent location. Perennial vegetable roots should be planted at one end of the garden.

In gathering rhubarb stalks, select the larger ones growing on the outside of plant, grasp them firmly near the base and with a slight sideways twist, pull them from the crown. Red-stalked rhubarbs are sweeter and make a sauce that is more beautiful and more delicious than the usual commercial rhubarb; prized for canning as well as freezing.

**9989 Chipman's Canada Red** The plant is very vigorous and hardy, with long, slender stalks that are tender, of the highest quality, bright red all the way through, the red color even extending to the mid-rib of the leaf.

2 roots for \$1.50; 5 for \$3.50; 10 for \$6.50, prepaid

**9987 MacDonald** Stalks are of very fine quality, excellent flavor, and brilliant red color; the skin is tender and peeling is not required. Sauces or pies have a pleasing, rich pink color.

2 roots for \$1.45; 5 for \$3.25; 10 for \$6.00, prepaid

**9990 Valentine** Stalks are of an attractive, deep red color, 18 to 22 in. long, 1 to 1½ in. broad and 1 in. thick; sweetly flavored and of supreme quality. Valuable for home and commercial gardeners. Leaves are dark green with reddish colored ribs.

2 roots for \$1.75; 5 for \$4.25; 10 for \$8.00, prepaid

### Myatt's Victoria

Broad, thick, tender stalks shaded with red. It is a heavy yielder and a strong, upright grower.

**9985 Roots** Planted in early spring, roots will furnish a moderate cutting of stalks the next spring; regular cuttings thereafter.

2 roots for 65¢; 5 for \$1.45; 10 for \$2.50, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 roots or more @ 12¢ each; 250 roots or more @ 11¢ each

**979 Seed** Sown this spring, usable stalks will be ready two years hence; for quicker results plant roots. A pkt. of seed will sow 10 ft. of row; oz. 75 ft. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

Because of State law, we cannot ship Rhubarb roots to California; elsewhere, orders must be received before May 1st.



# Burpee's Bulbs and Roots

*Can be supplied only from January 1 until May 15 while they are dormant*

Some of the most beautiful flowering and foliage plants are grown from bulbs or roots. We offer and describe on this and the following pages a most select assortment of the finest, easy-to-grow kinds, for indoor and outdoor culture.

**"How to grow" directions are printed on the bags containing the bulbs.**

**6 Bulbs of any variety may be ordered at ½ the 12 rate; 25 or more at the 100 rate.**



*Amaryllis, Giant American Hybrids*

## AMARYLLIS

**8907 Giant American Hybrids** Easily grown, showy pot-plants with lily-like flowers of immense size. Colors range from the richest self-colors, as crimson, scarlet, and bright red, to rose, red and crimson markings on pure white grounds. We cannot supply separate colors; we offer a mixture only. Amaryllis is not hardy.

55¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.75

## ANEMONE CORONARIA

Magnificent, colorful blooms during the spring; equally fine for pot culture, borders, rock gardens, and cutting. 1 ft. Not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C.

**8905 Blue Poppy** Lovely, single poppy-like flowers in a wide range of blue shades.

3 for 30¢; 12 for 90¢; 100 for \$6.50

**8924 His Excellency** Brilliant, single poppy-like dazzling scarlet blooms.

3 for 30¢; 12 for 90¢; 100 for \$6.50

**8969 Poppy Flowered De Caen** Showy single flowers in a wide range of colors.

3 for 25¢; 12 for 70¢; 100 for \$4.75

**8909 St. Brigid** Semi-double and double blooms in a mixture of many bright colors.

3 for 30¢; 12 for 90¢; 100 for \$6.50

*Anemone seed, see page 49.*



*Anemone coronaria, St. Brigid*

## TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS



*Double Flowering Tuberous Rooted Begonias*

### Double Flowering Begonias

Most decorative as pot-plants, blooming for many weeks during spring and early summer. During the summer, plants may be taken from their pots and set in the garden or the pots may be buried up to their rims. In either case choose a semi-shady location and enjoy a continuous display of flowers until late fall. Not hardy.

**8830 Orange** .....

**8825 Pink** .....

**8826 Salmon** .....

**8827 Scarlet** .....

**8829 White** .....

**8831 Yellow** .....

*Any of these  
6 separate colors:*

**LARGE BULBS:**

40¢ each;

3 for \$1.00;

12 for \$3.75;

25 for \$7.00

**MIXED COLORS** The above and others in mixture for a grand display in the house or outdoors. We offer bulbs in two sizes:

**8833 LARGE BULBS** for the biggest flowers.  
3 for 95¢; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50

**8797 SMALL BULBS** Guaranteed to bloom. Flowers produced will be smaller the first year than those grown from the large bulbs offered above. All the best colors are included.

**ADVERTISING SPECIAL:** 12 for \$1.00

### 6 Double Begonias

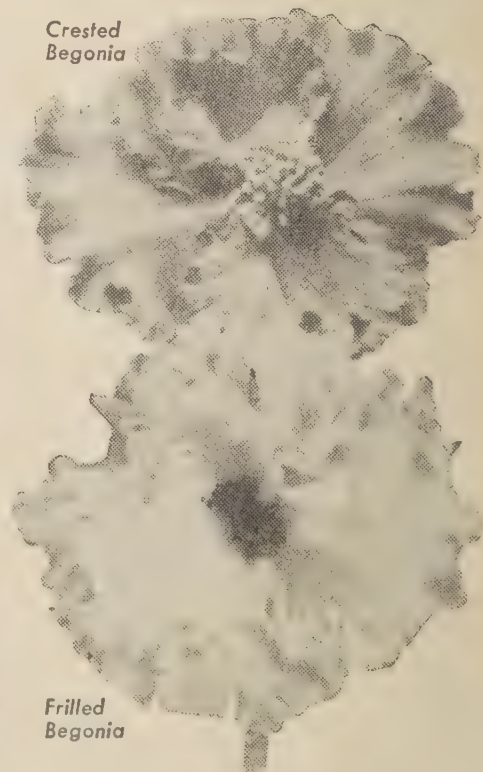
**9785—6 Bulbs**, one each of the above six separate colors, value \$2.40 for only **\$2.00**

### Basket or Trailing Begonias

**8815 Mixed Colors** Large double flowers on gracefully suspending stems. Fine for hanging baskets, window boxes or pots. Choice assortment of the most popular colors. 40¢ each;

3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75; 25 for \$7.00

*Crested  
Begonia*




*Frilled  
Begonia*

### Frilled and Crested Begonias

**8836 Mixed Colors** Gorgeous blooms, some with frilled and ruffled petals, like lower flower; others have a distinct cushion-like or crested center as in top flower. A wide range of colors—pink, rose, salmon, orange, crimson, yellow and white. The attractive shapes of the flowers never fail to attract attention in garden or pots. 35¢ each; 3 for 95¢; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.25





## **Burpee's Double BEGONIAS**

**LARGE BULBS** Unexcelled for growing in pots indoors or for semi-shaded places in the garden during the summer.

8825 Pink

8830 Orange

8829 White

8831 Yellow

8827 Scarlet

8826 Salmon

Separate colors: 40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75

**9785**—6 Bulbs, one each of all six colors, separately bagged and labeled, value \$2.40 for only **\$2**

**8833 Mixed Colors** 3 for 95¢; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.50

**"How to Grow" directions  
are printed on every bag  
containing the bulbs.**





**8915  
CALADIUMS  
Fancy Leaved**

Showy, ornamental plants with large, heart-shaped leaves variegated in many amazing patterns. Nice in pots or outdoors in summer.

**Large bulbs,  
Mixed Varieties:  
3 for \$1.00;  
12 for \$3.75**

**8875 GLOXINIAS, Giant Flowered**

Magnificent pot-plants for summer and winter blooming. The large, open, trumpet-shaped flowers are freely borne above the velvety foliage. **Large bulbs,  
Mixed Colors: 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75**

**8982 TIGRIDIAS**

Large, brilliantly colored, quaintly shaped flowers; small inner petals oddly marked and blotched. Adds color, beauty and interest to your garden during the summer.

**Select bulbs,  
Mixed Colors:  
3 for 40¢;  
12 for \$1.40;  
25 for \$2.50**





## GLOXINIAS

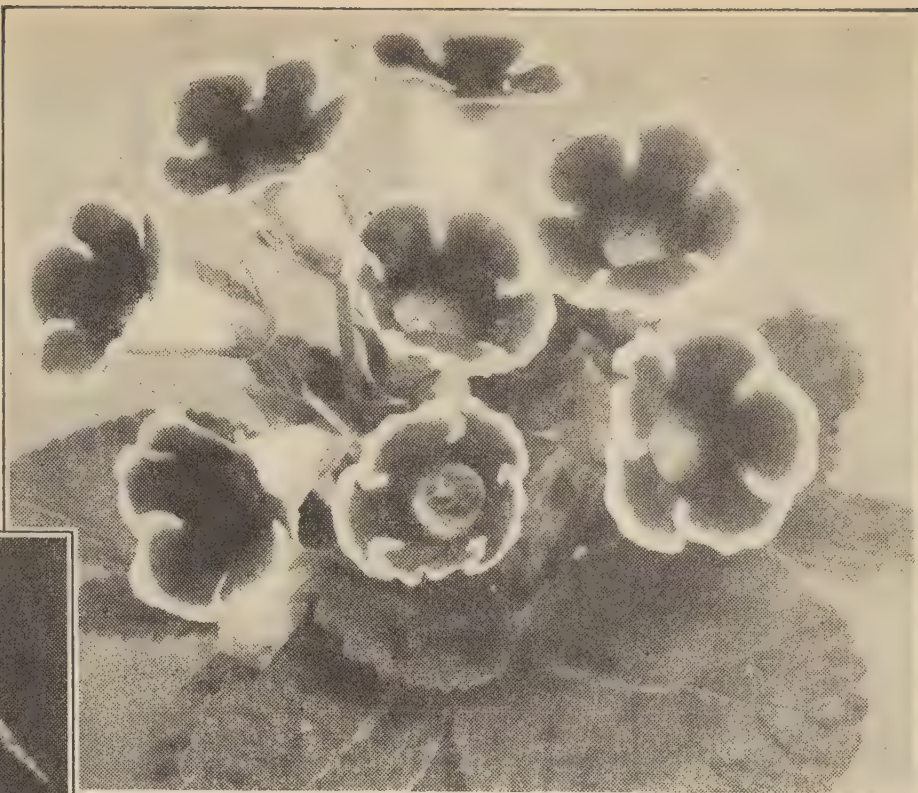
Beautiful pot-plants for summer and winter blooming, the large, open, inverted bell-shaped flowers being borne profusely above the rich green, velvety foliage.

- 8873 Blue, white border.....
- 8865 Violet Blue.....
- 8853 Bright Red.....
- 8867 Scarlet, white border.....
- 8861 Deep Scarlet.....
- 8855 Pure White.....
- 8875 Mixed Colors.....

Any of these;  
**LARGE BULBS:**  
40¢ each;  
3 for \$1.00;  
12 for \$3.75;  
25 for \$7.00

### 6 Gorgeous Gloxinias

9848—6 Bulbs, one each of the above six separate colors, value \$2.40 for **\$2.00**



*Gloxinia, Scarlet with White Border*



*Caladium, Fancy Leaved*

## CALADIUM

**8914 Esculentum (Elephant's Ear)** Plants produce large, broad green leaves; effective singly or in masses. Like plenty of water when growing and rich soil. Recommended for outdoor growing only; not hardy.

25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50

**Fancy Leaved, Mixed Varieties** Gorgeously colored foliage plants with red, green, and white variegated leaves. Nice in pots or shady places in the garden. Plant the large bulbs if the biggest leaves are desired; the small bulbs produce much smaller leaves. Not hardy.

**8915 LARGE BULBS:** 40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75

**8916 SMALL BULBS—ADVERTISING SPECIAL:** 12 for \$1.00

## GIANT CANNAS

Stately plants with large foliage of tropical appearance and clusters of massive, well-formed blooms on strong stems. Do best in full sun and rich soil. All have green foliage except where noted. Showy throughout the summer and fall. Not hardy. We send out dormant, 2 to 3 eye root divisions and suggest starting them indoors; planting instructions are included with every order.

**8421 Eureka** Soft creamy white; large, bold, 4½ ft.

**8427 Halli Rich**, silvery pink. Low growing plants, 3 ft.

**8447 Hungaria** Magnificent deep rose-pink flowers. 3½ ft.

**8432 Indiana** Glowing orange flowers. Large heads. 5 ft.

**8478 King Humbert** Orange-scarlet flowers, contrasting bronze foliage. 4½ ft.

**8435 Louis Cayeux** Beautiful rose-pink shade. 4½ ft.

**8434 Richard Wallace** Bright canary-yellow flowers; free blooming plants. 4 ft.

**8476 The Ambassador** Brilliant cherry-red flowers; rich bronze foliage. 5 ft.

**8416 The President** Bright scarlet; profuse bloomer. 5 ft.

**8419 Wintzer's Colossal** Intense scarlet blooms in very large trusses. Striking. 5 ft.

**8486 Wyoming** Orange flowers; bronze foliage. 6 ft.

**8437 Yellow King Humbert** Yellow flowers heavily marked with crimson dots. 4½ ft.

Any of the above Cannas:  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢;  
12 for \$2.50

**All Bulbs and Roots are sent postpaid in the U. S.**



*Tigridia—a gorgeous, colorful flower*

### TIGRIDIA—Tigerflower

**8982 Mixed** Brilliant, exotic blooms in scarlet, rose, yellow and orange. Flowers have six petals, the three smaller ones being blotched with carmine, purple or mahogany. Blooms during August and September. 2 ft. tall. Not hardy. 15¢ each;

3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

*Tigridia seed, see page 47.*

### APIOS TUBEROSA

*Tuberous Rooted Wisteria*

**8912** Perfectly hardy climber with clusters of small, purplish brown, fragrant flowers not unlike wisteria blooms in appearance. Vines grow 6 to 8 ft. tall. 15¢ each;

3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.50

### CINNAMON VINE

*Dioscorea batatas*

**8922** Hardy, quick and vigorous growing climber with attractive, shiny, bright green foliage and a profusion of small, whitish, fragrant blooms. **Large roots:** 15¢ each;

3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.50



*Canna, The President*

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## BULBS AND ROOTS, continued



Calla, Golden Yellow  
(Elliottiana)



Fairy or Zephyr Lily



Hyacinthus candicans



Montbretia

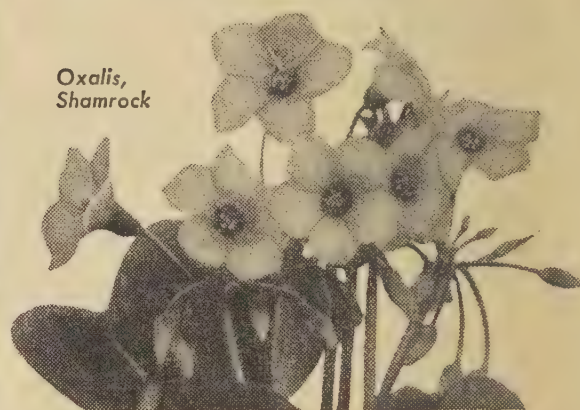


Ismene calathina



Ranunculus, Tecolote Giants

Oxalis,  
Shamrock



### ISMENE—Peruvian Daffodil

**8949 Calathina** Sweet-scented white flowers of quaint but attractive form. May be grown in garden or pots. Not hardy. 30¢ each; 3 for 80¢; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00

### MADEIRA VINE

**8961** Tiny white flowers in late summer and fall. Bright green leaves. Hardy with protection. Quick grower; 15 ft. 15¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

### MONTBRETIA

**8963 Mixed** Shades of scarlet, orange, yellow and salmon. Tall graceful spikes of flowers like miniature gladiolus. Not hardy in cold climates. 3 for 30¢; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.50

### OXALIS

Free-blooming little plants which are showy in the border, rock garden, in pots or hanging baskets. Not hardy; dig before frost if planted outdoors. Plant in quantity for best effect.

**8970 Deppei** Small white flowers in profusion.

**8972 Lasiandra** Rich rosy crimson in umbels.

**8975 Shamrock** Rose-colored blooms and rich green, shamrock-like foliage. Nice contrast.

Any of the above Oxalis:

12 for 25¢; 100 for \$1.50; 200 for \$2.50

### RANUNCULUS

**8977 Tecolote Giants** Double and semi-double flowers, 3 in. and more across, in a mixture of yellow, red, orange, pink. They are not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C.

3 for 15¢; 12 for 50¢; 100 for \$3.50

### TUBEROSE

**8988 Excelsior, Dwarf Pearl** Double, fragrant, wax-like flowers on tall sturdy spikes. Not hardy. *Because of State law, we regret we are unable to ship tuberose bulbs to California.*

3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.50

### CALLAS—popular pot plants

Easily raised plants for growing in pots or outdoors during the summer. They should have rich soil for best results. Have always been popular for pot culture. Not hardy.

**8918 Golden Yellow (Elliottiana)** Showy ornamental plants with beautiful golden yellow blooms in lovely contrast to the green leaves, which are nicely spotted white. 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$4.00

**8919 White (Ethiopica)** Large trumpet-shaped white flowers and arrow-shaped green foliage. Well known. 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20; 12 for \$4.00

### FAIRY OR ZEPHYR LILY

*Zephyranthes*

**8928 White** Beautiful, pure white, lily-like flowers measuring 2 in. across. Grows freely and quickly. Nice in garden borders; excellent to plant in pots or pans for blooming in the house. Not hardy. Dwarf, 8 to 12 in. high. Always in bloom. Makes the most effective showing in masses. 3 for 25¢; 12 for 85¢; 100 for \$6.00

### HYACINTHUS (Galtonia)

*Summer Hyacinths*

**8947 Candicans** Tall spikes of large, pure white, pendent blooms during the summer. Nice for garden display in beds and borders or as cut-flowers. Do well in any average, well-drained garden soil. Not hardy in cold climates; dig bulbs in the fall and store frostproof over winter. 4 ft. 15¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00



Tuberose



# Burpee's Hardy Garden LILIES

Easy to grow in any good, well-drained garden loam to which has been added a generous quantity of leafmold. Once established, they will increase in beauty each year. Most all lilies delight in a sunny location, but mulch so that the hot sun does not reach the soil around the base of the plant. All varieties offered are highly decorative in the border, while the dwarfier ones also give a charming touch of beauty to the rock garden. Lily bulbs differ greatly in size according to variety—some 1 in. across, others 3 in. or more; we supply the sizes which will give the best results. Order 6 bulbs of the same variety at  $\frac{1}{2}$  the 12 rate. We do not recommend Hardy Lily bulbs for house culture. How to grow directions are sent with the bulbs.

## REGAL LILY—*Lilium Regale*

Gorgeous, bell-shaped, white, sweet scented flowers with a touch of canary-yellow in the throat and a shading of lilac-pink on the outside. Blooms in clusters at the top of stem during July. One of the most beautiful and easiest grown of all lilies, the individual blooms of which measure about 6 in. in length and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. across. 3 to 5 ft.

**8631 LARGE BULBS** Will produce more flowers per plant the first year than the medium size bulbs offered below.  
50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

**8632 MEDIUM SIZE BULBS** Guaranteed-to-bloom bulbs, —the size preferred by many for the largest number of flower spikes at low cost. A splendid opportunity to plant this lily in quantity. This offer is made in our advertisements and repeated here so all may take advantage of this great bargain offer. **SPECIAL:** 3 bulbs for only 25¢; 12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00

**8603 Canadense** (*Canadian Lily*) Lovely bright orange, bell-shaped flowers marked with purplish black and having rich red anthers; borne in clusters during late June and July. Does well in partial shade. Graceful and pretty. Grows 3 ft. tall.  
40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.60; 25 for \$6.50

**8605 Centifolium hybrids** Immense white, fragrant flowers, the outside varying from emerald-green through tints of pink to brownish purple. These gorgeously colored hybrids bloom in July and August. 6 ft. tall.  
40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.60; 25 for \$6.50



Regal Lily—one of the most admired of all lilies



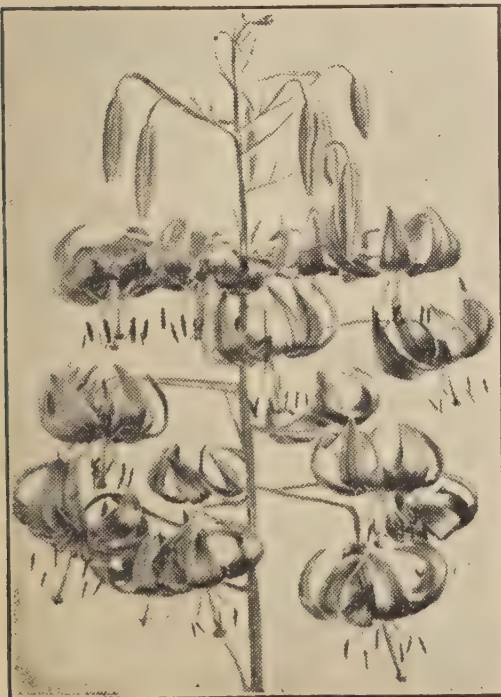
Canadense or Canadian Lily

## Four Glorious

## Hardy Garden Lilies

Canadense, Centifolium hybrids, Henryi and Orange Triumph

9825— 4 Bulbs, 1 each,	value \$1.80 for	\$1.65
9826— 12 Bulbs, 3 each,	value \$4.70 for	4.35
9827— 24 Bulbs, 6 each,	value \$8.60 for	8.00



Tenuifolium or Coral Lily



Speciosum rubrum or Show Lily

**8654 Henryi** (*Yellow Show Lily*) Brilliant salmon-orange flowers with reddish brown spots. Blooms in late July and August. Called the Yellow Speciosum Lily. 4 to 6 ft.  
50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

**8629 Orange Triumph** Umbellatum type. The light pinkish orange flowers are faintly spotted maroon and produced in clusters of 7 or 8 atop 4 ft. plants in July and August.  
50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

**8655 Speciosum album** (*White Show Lily*) Large white blooms with golden green markings in the throat; reflexed petals. August and Sept. 3 ft.  
75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10; 12 for \$7.50

**8634 Speciosum rubrum** (*Show Lily*) Large white flowers suffused rose-pink and spotted crimson. The petals are gracefully reflexed. Blooms in August and September with many flowers on each stem. Grow 3 to 4 ft. tall.  
75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10; 12 for \$7.50

**8638 Superbum** (*American Turk's Cap Lily*) Brilliant orange-scarlet shaded yellow and spotted with purplish crimson at the base; red anthers. Blooms from July until September and grows almost anywhere. 5 to 6 ft.  
35¢ each; 3 for 95¢; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.25

**8630 Tenuifolium** (*The Lovely Coral Lily of Siberia*) Small coral-red flowers with reflexed petals, borne during June and July.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. For border or rock garden. 35¢ each; 3 for 95¢; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.25

**8616 Tigrinum giganteum** (*Giant Tiger Lily*) Magnificent plants, 3 to 4 ft. tall, with large, showy blooms of a bright salmon-red spotted with purplish black. Blooms in August and September.  
40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.60; 25 for \$6.50

**8610 Tigrinum fl. pl.** (*Double Tiger Lily*) Bright salmon-red double flowers spotted purplish black. August and September. 4 ft.  
40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.60; 25 for \$6.50



# Burpee's DAHLIA ROOTS

Each year on our Fordhook Farms we try out hundreds of varieties of dahlias and select those that are the best growers, freest bloomers, and which we recommend as the best for you to plant. All are listed here, with some outstanding varieties that we have created. Whether you select the massive Formal or Informal Decorative, the lovely Cactus, Semi-Cactus or the small Pompon varieties, you will be delighted with the results.

**F. D. = Formal Decorative; I. D. = Informal Decorative; C = Cactus; S. C. = Semi-Cactus.**

Cultural directions are sent with every order for Dahlia roots. We supply **strong root divisions** from field-grown clumps which are guaranteed to produce satisfactory results or your money will be refunded. All roots are sent postpaid. The American Dahlia Society has adopted a classification for all dahlias according to the formation of the flowers. After each name we use initials to denote the class to which that variety belongs.

## Formal and Informal Decorative Dahlias



Decorative Dahlia,  
Kentucky

**7992 Adorable (I. D.)** Attractive peach-pink with yellow base. A fine grower. Highly recommended. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7953 Arelda Lloyd (I. D.)** Exquisite lemon-yellow with a light rose suffusion on ends of petals. Large. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7988 Avalon (F. D.)** Great garden dahlia of fine form and a rich lemon-yellow color. Profuse bloomer. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35

**7993 Bauer's Ideal (F. D.)** Glowing deep red; excellent for exhibition. Beautiful form and color. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8150 Blue River (F. D.)** Distinct, deep lilac or bluish mauve—the nearest to blue to be had in dahlias. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8106 Cherokee Brave (I. D.)** Rugged grower. Large, beautiful ruby red, extra large flowers. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8075 Clara Carder (I. D.)** Clear cyclamen-pink with a flush of yellow at the base. The largest pink. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7930 Commando (F. D.)** Large, dark lavender flowers; the best of its color. Strikingly handsome. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8151 Coral Beauty (F. D.)** Beautiful, striking shade of coral-red. Long, strong, erect stems. Vigorous. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7931 Darcy Sainsbury (F. D.)** A large cream-white from Australia; popular for all purposes. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8081 Enchantment (I. D.)** Glowing flesh pink with white center. The flowers are large and full. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8152 Flamingo (I. D.)** Brilliant pink shaded salmon and flesh. A dahlia of merit for home and exhibition. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8112 Forest Fire (I. D.)** Wonderful bicolor; lemon-yellow blending to rich scarlet toward tips. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8110 Golden Goblin (F. D.)** Nicely formed deep golden yellow blooms. Sturdy plants; good stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8030 Hawaiian Nights (I. D.)** Immense blooms of intense scarlet suffused orange, gold striped reverse. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**8139 Jane Cowl (I. D.)** Pleasing warm buff and brilliant gold blending to salmon at center. Massive. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8143 Jean Kerr (F. D.)** Medium-size pure white flowers carried on long stems. Free blooming. Early. 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20

**7961 Jersey's Beacon (F. D.)** Chinese-scarlet with lighter reverse; very large showy thick flowers. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8130 Jersey's Beauty (F. D.)** Well-formed flowers of pleasing eosine-pink. Popular; good keeper. 30¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8129 Jersey's Triumph (F. D.)** Bright copper faintly flushed salmon-bronze. Strong, healthy grower. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7952 Kentucky (F. D.)** Light salmon-orange shading to grenadin-orange. Great favorite for cutting. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8168 Margaret Woodrow Wilson (I. D.)** Magnificent, large, creamy white flowers shaded pink. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8111 Milton J. Cross (I. D.)** General effect is yellow with outer petals suffused rose and coral. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**7949 Mrs. George Le Boutillier (I. D.)** Deep rich carmine-red; sure to command attention. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8161 Mrs. I. de Ver Warner (F. D.)** Superb refined shade of mauve-pink. Early, free bloomer. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65

**8002 Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen (F. D.)** The best white for cutting, exhibition and garden. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**7933 Orange Triumph (F. D.)** Glowing orange-red; early and profuse bloomer. Lovely for cutting. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

**8063 Palo Alto (I. D.)** Soft apricot-buff suffused coral-red. Tall and straight stems. Rugged grower. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8174 Pink Giant (I. D.)** Clear tyrian pink flowers of immense size on long stems. One of the best. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8068 Prince of Persia (I. D.)** The color of the huge, deep flowers is a glowing clear scarlet-red. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10

**8084 Red Eagle (F. D.)** Vivid red for either exhibition or cutting. Fine keeper. A glorious dahlia. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**8121 Red Giant (F. D.)** Very sturdy plant bearing large flowers of spectrum red. Healthy grower. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7967 Rose Beauty (I. D.)** Strong bushy grower with medium size rose flowers with a lighter center. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8185 Salmon Supreme (F. D.)** Large, glistening salmon-orange-pink flowers. Fine habit of growth. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10

**7937 Scarlet Giant (F. D.)** Vivid scarlet flowers of large size, perfect form on strong stems. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8006 Sunrays (I. D.)** Clear buff suffused apricot with peach-red on reverse of petals. Immense blooms. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50

**8189 Sweet Lavender (I. D.)** Lovely lavender-pink flowers of medium size and good substance. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**7957 The Lemonade (I. D.)** Showy, clear sulphur-yellow flowers on long, strong, erect stems. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**7960 Velvet Wonder (I. D.)** Rich violet-purple flowers; large and beautifully formed. Profuse bloomer. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**8125 Victory (F. D.)** Rose-pink suffused gold. A real favorite for sheer beauty. Flowers keep well. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

**7972 Virginia Rute (I. D.)** Deep velvety red flowers of beautiful formation. Early bloomer. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

**8085 White Supreme (F. D.)** A nice all-purpose white that bears its many blooms on long stems. 85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35

**8194 Wm. H. Hogan (F. D.)** Bright garnet-red tipped white. Beautiful bicolor. Continuous bloomer. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75

### Five Extra Choice Decorative Dahlias

**Avalon**, lemon-yellow; exceptionally free blooming.

**Jane Cowl**, blend of salmon, buff, and brilliant gold.

**Jersey's Beacon**, Chinese-scarlet with lighter reverse.

**Jersey's Beauty**, lovely shade of eosine-pink.

**Mrs. I. de Ver Warner**, a most popular mauve-pink.

**9807**—5 roots, one each of these 5 named separate varieties, value \$2.90 for only **\$2.25**





Cactus Dahlia,  
Son of Satan

## Cactus Dahlias

**7941 Autumn Gold (C)** Golden orange with bronze center. Free blooming on long, strong stems. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50**

**7995 Dancing Sultana (C)** An oriental red of artistic form; fine for exhibition and garden. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50**

**8015 Enchantress (C)** Attractively formed, bronzy orange flowers exquisitely edged bright rose. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00**

**8017 Gemma Clara (S.C.)** Very large, beautifully shaped, soft primrose flowers on good stems. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00**

**8018 Glorious Victory (S.C.)** Glowing pink flowers freely borne on long stems. Free bloomer. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00**

**8000 Jersey's Dainty (C)** White faintly tinged lavender; almost pure white late in season. Prolific. **85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35**

**8021 Lady in Red (S.C.)** Brilliant velvety red. Plants are tall, husky growers; stems are long. **\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00**

**8155 Lavender Glory (C)** Clear lavender and considered by many as the best of its color. Handsome. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75**

**8024 Peggy O'Neal (C)** Charming, medium-sized, rosy lavender flowers with pure white center. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75**

**8078 Sheik (C)** Creamy white edged lilac; attractive. The stems are long. A very pleasing blend. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75**

**8086 Shower of Gold (C)** Light yellow flowers of good size and form. Fine in garden and when cut. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75**

**8188 Snow Boy (C)** Beautiful, large, pure white blooms of true cactus form. Excellent keeper. **85¢ each; 3 for \$2.35**

**8004 Son of Satan (C)** Immense bright scarlet flowers on long, strong stems. Under some conditions the blooms appear as semi-cactus. Valuable for exhibition. **\$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50**

### Dahlias are Lovely for Cutting

They will last longer if, after they are cut, the lower leaves are removed and the stems plunged in water as hot as the hand can bear. When the water cools, put flowers in a container of cold water. Keep away from heat and drafts.

## Burpee's Bargain Collection of Giant Flowered Dahlias

Our selection from those varieties we may have in surplus when your order is filled. Your opportunity to get some fine named dahlias at a real bargain price.

**9818—6 roots, 1 each, 6 varieties for only \$2.75**

**9819—12 roots, 1 each, 12 varieties for only \$5.00**

*Please remember that the selection must be left to us.*



Pompon Dahlias, Morning Mist

## Pompon Dahlias

Pompon Dahlias have always been favorites with flower lovers and dahlia fanciers. These smallest of all dahlias combine so many pleasant features that they justly deserve a place in every garden. They grow most freely, require little care after planting, and bring forth a wealth of blooms, rewarding the grower with a generous supply of gorgeous cut flowers during the late summer and fall. Plants are of stocky growth, quite branching and extremely free flowering. Nice for borders; invaluable for table decoration, as they keep in good condition for a long while after cutting.

**7900 Amber Queen** Attractive, well-formed, button-like blooms of rich amber shaded apricot. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**7903 Belle of Springfield** Very small, round, long-stemmed blooms of a bright glowing red color. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**8095 Bobby** Little ball-shaped flowers of deep velvety plum freely borne on extra-long stems. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**8087 Cherie** Exhibition flower of cerise-purple. Distinct and pretty color. Vigorous, prolific grower. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**7914 Dee Dee** This is a lovely lavender color—a shade which is rare in dahlias. Prized for cutting. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**8041 Ganymede** Most appealing variety, with small rounded blooms of an exquisite fawn-pink color. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**8088 Glow** Yellow and rose well-formed flowers; sturdy upright plants. One of the best in its color class. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**7925 Golden Queen** Dainty little blooms of a pure rich yellow. Always admired; blooms freely. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**7934 Joe Fette** Graceful, pretty, well-shaped, pure white blooms borne in great profusion. Early. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**8023 Mary Munns** The blooms are a rich fuchsia-red with a dark orchid sheen. Unusual color. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**8089 Morning Mist** A showy flower of white tipped lavender; rosy lavender at center. Profuse. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

**7975 Peggy Wood** Attractive, orange tipped white blooms are freely produced on strong plants. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**8079 Red Tip** Clear shade of buff heavily tipped strawberry-pink. Good cut flower. Free blooming. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**8026 Tip Top** Medium-sized round blooms of an intense fiery crimson. Bright and cheerful. Fine form. **50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35**

**7977 Yellow Gem** Pleasing shade of rich creamy yellow. Very attractive cut-flower variety. **45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20**

### Six Charming Pompon Dahlias

**Amber Queen** (amber shaded apricot),  
**Dee Dee** (lavender), **Joe Fette** (pure white),  
**Mary Munns** (fuchsia-red), **Tip Top** (crimson)  
and **Yellow Gem** (creamy yellow).

**9801—6 roots, 1 of each, value \$2.85 for only \$2.35**

**9802—18 roots, 3 of each, value \$7.65 for only \$6.50**



# GLADIOLUS BULBS

Burpee's famous gladiolus are grown and admired wherever beautiful flowers are known. They make attractive displays in the garden, planted either in beds or in groups here and there in perennial or annual borders and are ideal for house decoration. If the spikes are cut when the bottom flower shows color, all the buds, clear to the top, will open. Gladiolus are easily grown in any good, well-drained soil. Our bulbs are large, 1¼ in. and more across, guaranteed to bloom.

**Cultural directions are printed on every bag containing the bulbs.**

**8288 Abu Hassan** Blooms of good size, deep velvety violet-blue with darker throat markings. Early. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8296 Aladdin** Bright reddish salmon with large cream blotch. 8 to 10 huge, beautifully ruffled blooms, of perfect placement and heavy substance, are open at one time on long spikes. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8297 Algonquin** Brilliant glowing scarlet flowers; wonderful for exhibition, home and commercial use. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8378 Avalon** Nicely ruffled blooms of bright rosy pink with cream throat. A beautiful color. Tall grower. 25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8290 Bagdad** Smoky old rose, deeper toward the edges and lighter in the throat; faint creamy blotch marked with pink on lower petals. Large flowers, many open at one time. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8274 Barcarole** Rich deep orange, handsomely ruffled blooms of heavy substance on long spikes. 18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

**8263 Beacon** Clear, bright rose-scarlet with large cream blotch. Spikes are tall and straight; flowers somewhat ruffled, thus adding greatly to their attractiveness and beauty. 18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

**8305 Bertie Snow** Large light rosy lavender flowers with lighter throat. Exquisite for garden or cutting purposes. 3 for 30¢; 12 for 95¢; 100 for \$7.00

**8280 Bit O'Heaven** Flaming orange with yellow throat, unusually rich in color and quality. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8388 Black Opal** Dark, glistening red. Opens up to ten large well-placed blooms on a tall spike. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8246 Blaze** Orange-scarlet flame, wide open, large flowers on tall, strong spikes. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8389 Blue Beauty** Medium blue shading darker toward the edges. Many wide open, nicely placed blooms. Must be seen to be appreciated. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8292 Burma** Very deep rose shading somewhat lighter in the throat. 7 to 10 deeply ruffled flowers open at one time on tall spikes. Wonderful exhibition variety. 30¢ each; 3 for 80¢; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00

**8247 Camellia** Perfectly formed blooms, blush white tinted pink with faint pinkish feathering. Popular. 18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

**8248 Chamouny** Light cerise-rose delicately edged lighter silvery rose. One of the most distinctive. 25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8261 Commander Koehl** Large, wide-open blooms of brilliant, deep scarlet-red without any markings or blotches. Tall spikes with many flowers of good substance open at once. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8307 Corona** Creamy white with rose picotee edge on all petals. Large flowers; long stems. Much admired. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8349 Debonair** La France-pink shading to shrimp-pink with creamy blotch in throat; flowers sometimes flake darker. 6 to 8 medium large blooms open at one time on tall spikes. Well liked. 3 for 30¢; 12 for 95¢; 100 for \$7.00

**8359 Dr. F. E. Bennett** Fiery orange-scarlet with white lines in throat. Straight stems. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8249 Early Melody** Lovely orchid-lavender of distinction. Spikes are strong; with very good flower placement. Growing habit is excellent. Valuable. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8312 Early Rose** Medium and dark shades of rose nicely blended. Blooms early; much in demand. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8302 Elizabeth the Queen** The best and most beautiful, clear lavender; has a touch of rose in the throat. Mammoth, heavily ruffled blooms. Opens 7 to 8 at one time. 25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8316 Glamis** Beautiful salmon-rose with cream lip. Flowers are large, prettily ruffled and needle pointed; usually 6 blooms wide open at one time. Spikes are long, up to 4 ft. tall. 25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8250 Gold Dust** Clear deep yellow, well-placed flowers of good form and substance; tall stem. 15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8266 Greta Garbo** Lovely soft rose flowers with creamy throat. Large and showy; fine for exhibition. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8275 Jeanie** Graceful, tall spikes of bright clear pink flowers blending to a lovely cream in the throat. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8319 June Bells** Fine new white, excellent for cut-flowers. Slender but strong stems. Medium large. 20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8321 King Lear** An early, clear, deep purple with silver line on edge of petals. Very large, heavily waved and ruffled flowers of good texture on tall, willowy spikes. Good performer. 18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00



Picardy Gladiolus

## Six Outstanding Gladiolus

Bit O'Heaven, Blue Beauty,  
Gold Dust, Picardy,  
Snow Princess and Valeria

9881—18 Bulbs, 3 of each, value \$2.40 for **\$2.25**

9882—36 Bulbs, 6 of each, value \$4.10 for **\$3.75**

9883—72 Bulbs, 12 of each, value \$8.20 for **\$7.25**



## Six Beautiful Gladiolus

A lovely collection of 6 different varieties, especially selected for their large flowers, long spikes and desirable colors. Valuable for exhibition, garden or home use. Each variety separately bagged and labeled.

**Beacon, Maid of Orleans, Minuet, Peggy Lou, Shirley Temple and Vagabond Prince**

**9837—18 Bulbs**, 3 each of the above six varieties, value \$2.25 for **\$2.10**

**9838—36 Bulbs**, 6 each of the above six varieties, value \$3.80 for **\$3.45**

**9839—72 Bulbs**, 12 each of the above six varieties, value \$7.60 for **\$6.65**

**8392 Lady Jane** Clear cream with yellow lip petals giving it the appearance of light yellow. The blooms are slightly ruffled.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8331 Leading Lady** A creamy white sport of Picardy. Giant flowers on long straight stems. Wonderful exhibition variety.  
30¢ each; 3 for 80¢; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00

**8408 Magnolia** Light soft creamy rose. Blooms are large and petals somewhat rolled back at the edge. Makes an imposing spike.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8351 Maid of Orleans** Milky white with cream throat. Tall, straight spikes with up to 8 well-placed flowers open at one time.  
3 for 30¢; 12 for 95¢; 100 for \$7.00

**8320 Margaret Beaton** Immense white with small orange-scarlet blotch in the throat. Strong grower; tall, sturdy spikes.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8332 Masquerade** Amber-yellow with distinct scarlet-carmine blotch. A very beautiful flower and a striking novelty.  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8396 Minuet** Clear, light, pinkish lavender flowers with 5 or 6 blooms of good substance open at one time. Straight, stiff stem.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8341 Mother Kadel** Clear waxy yellow throughout. Blooms of good form, well placed on a medium-long flower head.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8287 Mother Machree** An exquisite smoky, vinaceous lavender edged with salmon-pink, softened with a sheen of gray.  
18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

**8347 Mrs. Mark's Memory** Huge flowers of reddish violet with a small dark carmine blotch on the lower petal.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8352 New Europe** One of the most outstanding Holland varieties developed since the war. Immense vivid garnet-red blooms.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8361 Pandora** Soft geranium-pink with pale rosy red featherings on two lower petals which add to its beauty.  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8251 Paradise** Large, clear apricot flowers that are handsomely ruffled, which adds so much to their beauty and charm.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8411 Peggy Lou** Light rose color. A tall strong grower. Is really a darker Picardy and there is a big demand for each.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8271 Picardy** Immense spikes of rich apricot-pink blooms. Individual flowers are extremely large, slightly ruffled and wax-like.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8285 Purple Supreme** Considered by many as the best commercial purple; lovely in the home garden and for cutting.  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8366 Red Charm** One of the very finest medium reds from Europe. Does well under unfavorable conditions. Vigorous grower.  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8326 Rewi Fallu** Immense, deep blood-red blooms of heavy texture; shade to orange-red in the throat. Richly colored.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8336 Rosa Van Lima** Light rose-pink with white midribs and light lavender markings; darker lines in the throat. Tall.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8340 Sensation** Soft rose shading lighter in the upper throat. Huge, heavily ruffled wide open blooms. Tall, erect spikes.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8382 Shirley Temple** Immense heavily ruffled rich cream flowers, almost white, with creamy yellow throat. Grows very tall.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8380 Silver Wings** Splendid new large flowered white sport of Picardy. Blooms are wide open, well placed and lightly ruffled.  
75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10; 12 for \$7.50

**8252 Snow Princess** Fine pure white,—one of the best. Flowers are large, spikes long and straight. Usually a prize winner.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

## Gladiolus Bulbs, continued

**8404 Spotlight** New. Beautiful deep golden yellow with small flaming scarlet blotch in throat. Unexcelled for cutting purposes.  
50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 100 for \$35.00

**8293 Stoplight** Bright ruffled red flowers of good texture; about eight open at one time. Tall grower; strong, straight spike.  
25¢ each; 3 for 70¢; 12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$18.00

**8295 Vagabond Prince** Garnet-brown, lighter at the throat, with a small blotch of flame-scarlet on lip petal. Very odd color.  
15¢ each; 3 for 35¢; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00

**8259 Valeria** Distinctive light red shade; well-placed prettily ruffled flowers, borne on tall stiffly erect spikes. Much desired.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8405 Vincent V. Gogh** Deep salmon-pink with white and carmine coloring in throat. Opens 8 to 10 fine formed blooms.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8262 Wanda** Buds lemon-yellow opening to creamy yellow with soft lavender markings. Always attracts attention wherever seen.  
18¢ each; 3 for 40¢; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

**8294 White Gold** Enormous, lightly ruffled cream colored blooms blending to gold in the throat. Rather spectacular.  
20¢ each; 3 for 50¢; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00

**8362 W. H. Phipps** Glorious La France pink overlaid with light salmon-rose. Enormous. 3 for 30¢; 12 for 95¢; 100 for \$7.00

### 9828 Gladiolus Garden Collection

**100 Bulbs for only \$7.00**

If you will leave the selection to us, we will send you 100 large bulbs, 10 each of 10 named, large flowered gladiolus, each variety separately bagged and labeled with its correct name, for only **\$7.00**

## Extra-Choice Mixtures

### Large Flowered Gladiolus

Sure to make a brilliant showing in the garden or border. Plant plentifully so as to have cut flowers in quantity all season.

### 8368 Burpee's Fordhook Hybrids

Special assortment of gladiolus, representing a magnificent, showy mixture of only the choicest large-flowered varieties in a wide array of colors. Our large bulbs will produce the tallest spikes with the greatest number of blooms on each. Highly prized for garden display and cutting for which purposes they are ideally suited.  
3 for 25¢; 12 for 85¢; 100 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$50.00

### 8360 Burpee's Special Mixture

Includes many choice gladiolus of all colors as well as varieties of which our supply is too limited to offer them separately. Sure to make a brilliant showing in the garden or border, especially in masses. We offer the largest size bulbs which will produce the tallest spikes with the most flowers. First-class mixture.  
3 for 25¢; 12 for 85¢; 100 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$50.00

### Separate Color Mixtures

**8402 Pink Shades Mixed** Lightest pink to deepest rose-red.

**8400 Red Shades Mixed** Scarlet, crimson and dark maroon.

**8401 Yellow Shades Mixed** Sulphur to golden yellow.

**8403 White Varieties Mixed** Creamy white, pure white, etc.

Any of the above separate large flowered color mixtures:

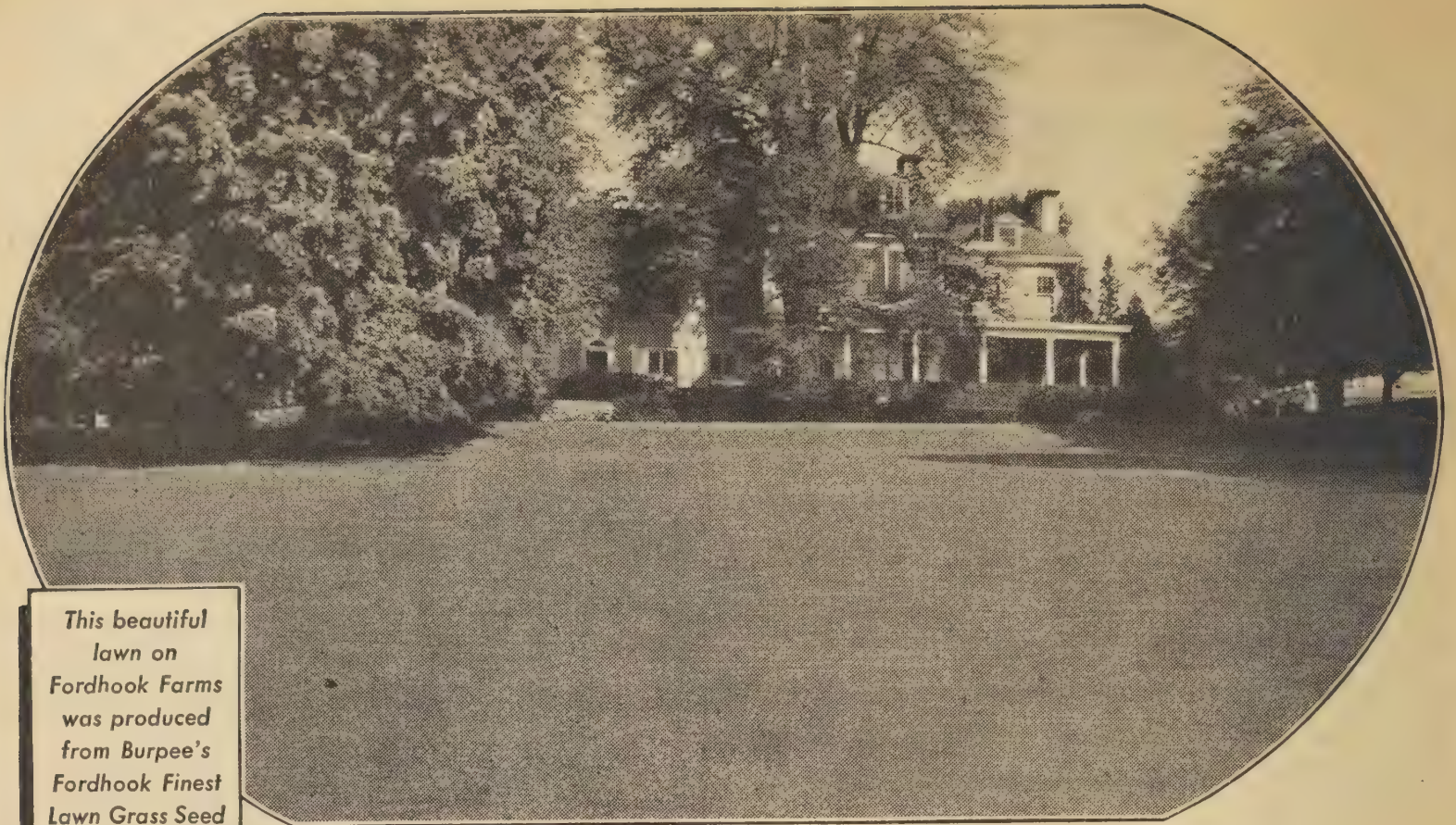
3 for 30¢; 12 for 95¢; 100 for \$7.00; 1000 for \$60.00

## Small Flowered Gladiolus Primulinus

**8399 Mixed** Smaller flowered than the other varieties we offer, but what they lack in size they make up in graceful habit and rich coloring. Our mixture includes many lovely shades. The well-formed blooms are placed loosely on long, slender but strong stems.  
3 for 25¢; 12 for 85¢; 100 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$50.00

Gladiolus Bulbs are sent prepaid in U.S. . . 119





This beautiful lawn on Fordhook Farms was produced from Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

# Burpee's Lawn Grass Seed

The best time to start your lawn, or to repair it, is during the cool weather of early spring or in early fall. The weather at these times is favorable for the development of domestic grass but unfavorable for most weeds and wild annual grasses. Why not plan now to

have a luxuriant lawn that will add so much to the beauty of your homes? Our leaflet, "L 20—How to Establish a Lawn," will be sent free upon your request. For new lawns, sow 1 lb. of grass seed to 200 sq. ft. of space; use 100 to 150 lbs. per acre.

## 6145 Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

**Best All-Purpose Mixture**, especially prepared from the highest quality seeds that can be produced. It makes a smooth, green, velvety lawn with a thick bottom, free from clumps. Only the very best fine-leaved and deep-rooted varieties of the most suitable grasses for making an even, thick mass of sod are used in this mixture. Sure to produce the best results under average conditions of soil and climate. A small quantity of white clover has been included; it helps to prevent the soil from washing.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.30; 5 lbs. \$5.60; 10 lbs. \$11.00; 15 lbs. \$16.20, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$23.00; 50 lbs. \$45.00; 100 lbs. \$89.00

**6149 Shady Nook** A specially prepared mixture suited for planting under shade trees or in shaded corners where grass usually does not thrive.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.10; 10 lbs. \$14.00; 15 lbs. \$20.70, prepaid

Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$30.50; 50 lbs. \$60.00; 100 lbs. \$119.00

**6158 Putting Greens** Composed entirely of Bent Grasses with a preponderance of Creeping Bent. It makes a smooth, even turf that will withstand frequent close cutting and intense trampling.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$1.90; 2 lbs. \$3.70; 5 lbs. \$9.10; 10 lbs. \$18.00; 15 lbs. \$26.70, prepaid

Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$40.50; 50 lbs. \$80.00; 100 lbs. \$159.00

**6144 Terrace Sod** Burpee's Terrace Sod is a blend of the best of such grasses, which are deep rooted, or have strong, spreading roots to withstand drought, hold the soil firmly and prevent it from washing away.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.30; 5 lbs. \$5.60; 10 lbs. \$11.00; 15 lbs. \$16.20, prepaid

Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$23.00; 50 lbs. \$45.00; 100 lbs. \$89.00

**6147 Golf Links** Only fine-bladed grasses which will withstand frequent close cutting and heavy trampling are used in this mixture. Particularly suited for fairways and lawns subject to hard use. Contains no white clover.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.10; 10 lbs. \$14.00; 15 lbs. \$20.70, prepaid

Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$30.50; 50 lbs. \$60.00; 100 lbs. \$119.00

**6152 Permagreen Grass** Splendid mixture that will give a deep emerald-green sod of velvety texture. It is a blend of selected high-grade grasses that will make a beautiful and enduring lawn.

$\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.60; 10 lbs. \$9.00; 15 lbs. \$13.20, prepaid

Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$18.00; 50 lbs. \$35.00; 100 lbs. \$69.00

**6113 White Dutch Clover** Gardeners who prefer an extra heavy growth of clover in their lawn should add this at the rate of 4 ozs. to every 2 lbs. of grass seed. It is advisable to sow separately in order to effect a better and more even distribution.

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75; 2 lbs. \$3.40; 5 lbs. \$8.25; 10 lbs. \$16.00, prepaid

## GRASSES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES — ALL PREPAID

**6134 RED OR CHEWINGS FESCUE** Excellent for sowing on sandy soil; does well in shaded places.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 75¢; lb. \$1.40; 2 lbs. \$2.70; 5 lbs. \$6.50; 10 lbs. \$13.50

**6127 KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS** For lawn and pasture.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$13.50

**6133 RED TOP GRASS** Rapid growing. Does well on a variety of soils and conditions. Creeping habit of growth, perennial.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$13.50

**6119 ENGLISH RYE GRASS** Excellent "nurse" grass for pasture, meadows and lawn.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35¢; lb. 60¢; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.15; 10 lbs. \$3.90

**6120 SEASIDE BENT** Ideal for lawn and moist situations.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.55; 2 lbs. \$4.80; 5 lbs. \$11.50; 10 lbs. \$22.00

**6125 DOMESTIC RYE GRASS** An excellent "nurse" grass where a quick growth is wanted.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25¢; lb. 45¢; 2 lbs. 85¢; 5 lbs. \$2.00; 10 lbs. \$3.75

For larger quantities of Grass Seed, write for special prices.



# Plant Foods, Insecticides and Sundries

**Valuable Helps for a Satisfactory Garden. All Prepaid, except where noted otherwise.**

## CONTROLS FOR CHEWING AND SUCKING INSECTS



### 200X12 Scalecide

The safest oil spray to use on trees, shrubs, vines and evergreens. Noted for its effectiveness against scale, aphids, mites and other soft-bodied pests controlled by a dormant spray.

1 quart \$1.05;  
1 gallon \$2.50

### 200X10 Arsenate of Lead

(Powdered) Controls practically all leaf-eating insects most efficiently. Use 2 to 3 tablespoonfuls to a gallon of water as a spray or with 5 parts of lime as a dust.

1 lb. 60¢; 4 lbs. \$1.80

### 275X70 Paris Green

An effective remedy against potato bugs, cutworms, grasshoppers, etc.

1/4 lb. 25¢; 1 lb. 75¢

### 200X30 Volck Oil Spray

An emulsified oil spray for use against mealy bugs, scale insects, red spiders, white flies. Can be used safely on citrus, fruit and shade trees, flowering shrubs, evergreens, chrysanthemums, roses, perennials and vegetables.

4 ozs. 35¢; 1 pint 75¢; 1 gallon \$3.15

### 275X52 Rotenone Rotecide Spray

A liquid rotenone spray for both chewing and sucking insects.

1 oz. bottle (makes 6 gallons) 35¢;  
8 oz. bottle \$1.20; 1 quart \$3.25

### 200X65 Mexogen

New liquid formula fortified with pyrethrum and rotenone. Positively kills and repels the Mexican Bean Beetle including the adult, larvae, and eggs. Nonpoisonous to humans, animals, and birds when directions are followed. Easy to use.

1/2 pint \$1.25; 1 quart \$3.50

### 275X55 Stabilized 75 Rotenone Dust

A general all-purpose rotenone dust which can be used also as a spray. Effective for both chewing and sucking insects. Does not burn tender foliage. Nonpoisonous to humans or animals. Highly recommended.

1 lb. 45¢; 5 lbs. \$1.85



### 275X67 Red Arrow Rotenone Dust

Controls insects on vegetable crops—leaves no poison residue. Standardized at 3/4% rotenone content. For asparagus beetle, bean leaf beetle, leaf hopper, Mexican bean beetle, blister beetle, flea beetle, webworm, cabbage worm, plant lice, thrips, melon worm, striped and spotted cucumber beetle, rose slug, tomato horn worm and other insects. Use with duster. 15 to 25 lbs. per acre.

2 lb. package 80¢

### 200X48 Evergreen Garden Spray

Powerful contact insecticide, the killing agent being pyrethrum. Kills chewing and sucking insects such as aphids, ants, rose beetles, etc. Leaves no objectionable residue. Noninjurious to humans or animals. Ounce makes 6 gallons spray.

1 oz. 35¢; 6 ozs. \$1.20; 1 pint \$2.50

### 200X60 Black Leaf 40

Highly recommended as a spray for aphids, leaf-hoppers, leaf miners, most thrips, young sucking bugs and other similar insects. Kills by contact and by fumes. One ounce makes six gallons of effective spray.

1 oz. 40¢; 5 ozs. \$1.10; 1 lb. \$2.50

### 200X64 Red Arrow Garden Spray

An effective, nonpoisonous solution that is deadly to most insects. Will not burn, blight or stain the most tender foliage. May be safely used on all fruits and vegetables. Dilute with 200 to 800 parts of water. Full instructions with every package.

1 oz. 35¢; 4 ozs. \$1.00; 1 pint \$2.85

### 275X96 D X Nicotine

A powerful nicotine spray for sucking insects. One of the most effective aphid sprays. Use wherever nicotine is indicated. Combines with arsenate of lead for a complete insect spray or with Bordeaux or sulfur as an insecticide-fungicide. 1 1/2 ozs. makes nine gallons of spray material.

1 1/2 oz. bottle 50¢;  
1/2 pint \$1.75; 1 quart \$5.50



### 300X35 Sabacide

A new insecticide dust that kills the previously difficult to control insects such as the squash bug, harlequin bug, hairy chinch bug. Effective on many other insect pests. Nonpoisonous to man, animals and even bees. Does not harm plants.

1 lb. 60¢; 5 lbs. \$2.45

### 200X29 Fish Oil Soap

A nonpoisonous soap to be diluted with water to kill soft-bodied insects, such as aphids, red spiders, thrips, etc.

1 lb. 40¢; 5 lbs. \$1.65

### 300X39 3% DDT Dust

The ideal insecticide to use on three major crops, corn, onion and potato. Effectively controls corn borer when used early in the season. Acknowledged as the best insecticide for protection against thrip on onion and potato beetle on potato.

1 lb. 40¢; 5 lbs. \$1.35

### 275X48 D X Spray

Contains rotenone, pyrethrum and PCH in an active vegetable oil base. High spreading, penetrating and adhering value. Leaves a microcrystalline film on insects and foliage. Controls sucking and chewing insects on fruit and shade trees, vegetables and flowers.

1 1/2 oz. bottle 50¢; 8 oz. bottle \$1.75;  
1 quart \$5.30

## CONTROLS FOR INSECTS AND FUNGUS DISEASES

### 250X92 Curote

A copper rotenone compound. Will control many insects and prevent certain blights, leaf spots, and mildews on vegetables, flowers and other plants. Ideal for use on tomatoes, eggplants and potatoes to control flea beetles and Colorado potato beetle, tomato and potato blight and fruit spot diseases.

1 lb. package 50¢;  
5 lb. package \$2.20

### Endopest

Endopest, developed by the manufacturer of Vigoro, controls sucking and chewing insects and many fungus diseases. Easy to use. Packaged in an efficient, exclusive dust gun package. Gun is refillable.

250X55 Dust Gun and  
one 10 oz. cartridge 80¢  
250X56 One 10 oz. refill cartridge  
to fit above Endopest Gun 60¢

### 275X65 Tri-ogen Dust

Serves same purpose as liquid Tri-ogen only it is in dust form.

1 lb. package 85¢; 5 lb. package \$3.50



**TRI-GEN**  
Patents Pending

### Rose Garden Spray Treatment

We offer 3 sizes: E Kit protects 6 to 10 roses, A Kit 12 to 20 roses, B Kit 50 to 80 roses and C Kit 100 to 160 roses.

### 275X60 Tri-ogen

An all-purpose spray. Mildew and black spot easily controlled in addition to chewing and sucking insects. Controls all insect and fungus pests on roses if used as directed.

E Kit \$1.35  
A Kit 2.25  
B Kit \$6.00  
C Kit 9.00

### 250X102 Kryocide C

May be used as a spray or a dust. Contains basic copper sulfate which is effective in the control of mildews, blights and leaf spots on vegetables and flowers. Effective as an insecticide against chewing insects.

1 lb. shaker-top can 55¢; 3 lb. pkg. \$1.00

### 200X63 Slug Shot

A general purpose insecticide-fungicide, powerfully effective against worms, slugs, beetles and bugs.

1 lb. 45¢; 5 lbs. \$1.90



### 275X50 Bean Beetle Dust

Microscopically fine Rotenone-Sulphur compound. Nonpoisonous to humans or animals. May be used as a dust or spray. Controls Mexican Bean Beetle and prevents mildews and blights.

5 lb. bag \$1.50

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# PLANT FOODS, INSECTICIDES and SUNDRIES, continued

## CONTROLS FOR FUNGUS DISEASES

### 200X20 Bordeaux Mixture

(Powdered) Used as a preventive of mildew, blight, black rot, leaf curl or other fungus diseases on fruits and plants. Can be applied dry or wet. Use 5 tablespoonfuls to a gallon of water as a spray. 1 lb. 45¢; 4 lbs. \$1.10

### 300X32 Dusting Sulfur

An improved form of dusting sulfur. Can also be dissolved in water and used as a spray. High sulfur content, strong adhesive quality. Controls mildew, black spot, rust and leaf spot, diseases on evergreens, roses, fruit trees and other plants. Effective on red spider infesting evergreens.

1 lb. can 35¢; 10 lb. bag \$1.85

### 275X71 Lime Sulfur

Recommended as a dormant spray for fruit trees. Also used as a summer spray for shade and fruit trees for the control of blights, mildews, thrips and mites.

1 lb. 40¢; 5 lbs. \$1.80

### 200X21 Phygon—XL

An economical fungicidal spray for the control of black spot of roses, applescab, bitter rot, potato, tomato and bean blights, azalea petal blight and other fungus diseases. Can be used as a seed protectant for tomatoes, peppers, beets, spinach and swiss chard. A 2 oz. package makes 12½ gallons of spray.

2 ozs. 50¢; 4½ ozs. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$2.70

## FERTILIZERS, PLANT FOODS, ETC.

### 200X18 Burpee-Gro

Burpee's Plant Food in tablet form. Contains twelve elements, all necessary for vigorous plant growth plus a root-producing hormone.

30 tablets 25¢; 75 tablets 50¢; 200 tablets \$1.00

### 275X93 "Soil Rich" Fertilizer

A well-balanced fertilizer containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium and most of the minor elements necessary for normal growth. In addition, it contains hormones, and Vitamin B<sub>1</sub>, which act as stimulants and give quick growth and increased root development.

5 lbs. 60¢, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$1.50; 50 lbs. \$2.50; 100 lbs. \$4.00

### 200X45 Vigoro

The complete plant food. Contains all the elements necessary for normal plant growth. Finer and bigger yields in the vegetable garden, larger and more beautiful flowers, more luxuriant lawns, healthier trees and shrubs will result from the use of this fertilizer.

5 lbs. 65¢, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$1.60; 100 lbs. \$4.25

### 200X22 Bone Meal

Finely ground and valuable for lawns, flowers and vegetables. Use 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft.

5 lbs. 70¢, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$2.00; 50 lbs. \$3.50; 100 lbs. \$6.20

### 200X17 Plantabbs

An odorless plant food in tablet form. Ideal for all potted plants, flower boxes, and outdoor gardens. Easily dissolved in water.

30 tablets 25¢; 75 tablets 50¢; 200 tablets \$1.00; 1000 tablets \$3.50

### 200X28 Sheep Manure

(Pulverized) Useful for lawns, vegetables, flowers, shrubs and trees; may also be used in liquid form. Use 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft.; 2000 lbs. per acre.

5 lbs. 60¢, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$1.40; 50 lbs. \$2.50; 100 lbs. \$3.95

### 250X63 Compost Maker

"Soil Rich Compost Maker" converts straw, leaves, corn stalks, weeds, bean and pea vines, etc., into an organic fertilizer.

5 lbs. 80¢, prepaid  
Not prepaid: 25 lbs. \$1.85; 100 lbs. \$5.50

### 300X54 Es-Min-El

Not a fertilizer but a mineralizer. Supplies manganese, copper, zinc, iron and boron to soil. Increases vitamins in many vegetables. Supplies to the plant those elements which in turn are needed by the human body. Improves quality, lengthens bearing season, encourages earlier maturation of vegetables and fruit. 40 to 50 lbs. recommended per acre.

5 lb. package \$1.25

## HORMONES AND SEED INOCULANTS

### 250X73 Rootone

For better rooting of cuttings, seeds and bulbs use this plant hormone powder. Just dip cutting into the powder before planting. To treat seeds and bulbs, dust with Rootone before planting.

¼ oz. packet 25¢; 2 ozs. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$5.00

### 200X38 Fruitone

A hormone spray for stopping premature drop of fruit, flowers and leaves. Spray tomato or bean blossoms with Fruitone solution for better set and larger crop. By using two teaspoons of Fruitone to the gallon for the spray (double strength) seedless tomatoes can be produced.

2/5 oz. packet 25¢; 2 ozs. \$1.00; 12 ozs. \$5.00

### 250X70 Hormone Kit

An attractively boxed kit containing 6 ounces Weedone, 2 ounces Rootone, 3 ounces Transplantone described on this page. A \$2.75 value for \$2.50. An ideal gift for your gardening friends.

\$2.50 each

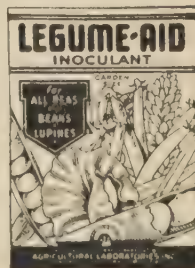
### 250X74 Transplantone

The hormone-vitamin stimulant. Makes an excellent starter for use when setting out plants in the soil such as seedlings, shrubs or trees. Used effectively when transplanting as it hastens the formation of new roots and reduces transplant shock. This means earlier and larger crops, particularly in dry weather. Ounce makes 100 gallons of solution.

½ oz. packet 25¢; 3 ozs. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$4.00

### 200X62 Legume Aid

Treating seeds of legumes before planting causes nodules to develop on the roots. These nodules gather nitrogen from the air and convert it into plant food. (Seed Inoculant) Garden Peas, Beans, Lima Beans, Soy Beans, Sweet Peas and Lupines show better blooms and increased yield if the seed is treated before planting with Legume Aid. Garden packet, inoculates up to 5 lbs. of seed, for only 15¢.



## CONTROLS FOR GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD PESTS

### 275X64 Weedust

A new easy way to kill weeds in the lawn area. Just shake a little Weedust directly out of the ready to use can on dandelion, plantain and other troublesome weeds. Watch them curl up, dry up and die. Weedust kills to the root tips. No mixing, no spraying required.

12 oz. can 75¢

### 275X69 Weedone

The new scientific weed killer. Kills poison ivy, poison oak, bindweed, Japanese honeysuckle and many other noxious weeds. Sprayed on the leaves, it travels down to the root tips, killing the whole plant. Does not irritate the skin, contains no arsenic or chlorates, does not corrode metals, does not sterilize the soil. Just mix in water and spray.

6 ozs. (treats 500 sq. ft.) 75¢; 1 quart (treats 2500 sq. ft.) \$2.50

### 200X41 DuPont's Ammate Weed Killer

A nonpoisonous weed killer for poison oak, poison ivy, wild blackberry and woody perennials. Easily applied. Effective when foliage is green and under ordinary weather conditions. Kill is permanent. Not for use as a selective weed killer on lawns.

2 lb. bottle 95¢; 6 lb. bottle \$2.55

### 275X66 Puraturf Crabgrass Killer

A selective herbicide for the control of Crab Grass. A unique method of control—root absorption by either the young seedlings or the mature crabgrass plants. One half-pint will treat 800 square feet of lawn.

½ pint 85¢; 1 pint \$1.65; gallon \$9.75

### 275X56 Activated DDT Powder

A 10% DDT insect powder containing pyrethrum which chases the insects from their hiding places so that they are exposed to full effects of DDT. For use in the home. Can be safely used on pets such as dogs. Handy dispensing package.

3 ozs. 40¢; 8 ozs. 70¢

### 200X40 Fumeogen

A repellent for pests. Will keep rabbits, dogs, and other animals away from plants when material is used as directed. An effective remedy for soil insects such as wireworms, cutworms and snails.

8 ozs. 50¢

### 200X47 Mologen

Eliminates moles from the lawn within 2 or 3 days. Perfectly harmless to humans and to pets.

½ lb. 50¢; 1½ lbs. \$1.30

### 275X97 Chaperone Liquid

Keeps dogs away from gardens, evergreens, hedges, garbage pails. Effective for 2 to 3 weeks. Does not wash off in the rain.

4 oz. bottle 60¢; 8 oz. tin \$1.00; 12 oz. tin \$1.25

### 250X90 Crow Repellent

Stanley's. Protects corn from crows, blackbirds, pheasants, larks and all other corn-pulling birds. It positively will not clog any planter. Its use also prevents the seed from rotting in the ground.

½ pint 60¢; 1 pint \$1.00; 1 quart \$1.75

### 275X49 Antchek Ant Traps

Contains two types of bait. Kills sweet and grease eating ants. Safe; cannot leak or spill out of metal container. Children or pets cannot get bait. Package of 3 traps 30¢



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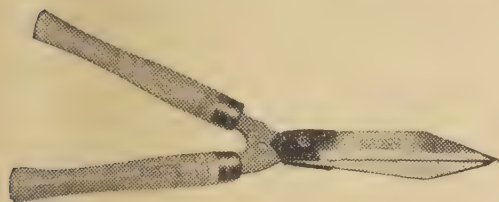
## PRUNERS AND SHEARS



### 300X50 Electric Hedge Klip

Nationally advertised electric hedge clipper. Long hardened tool steel blades with 14½ inches of cutting length. Quiet motor. Precision machined; far superior to die cast types on market. Endorsed by Good Housekeeping and Underwriters Laboratories. Complete with 15 ft. of heavy rubber coated extension cord, switch and plug.

**\$44.50 each**



### 300X24 Multipower Hedge Shear

Develops 60% more power than average type. It is light in weight but rugged in construction. Nonjolting action, balanced for comfort with 9½ inch renewable blades. Natural maple handles, handsomely finished and trimmed.

**Economically priced at \$3.25 each**



### 300X21 Ezy-Cut Grass Shear

Rust resistant cadmium finished tempered steel blades. Streamlined handles. Non-tiring, nonpinching, "squeeze grip" action. Takes apart easily for cleaning and re-sharpening.

**A bargain at \$1.95 each**

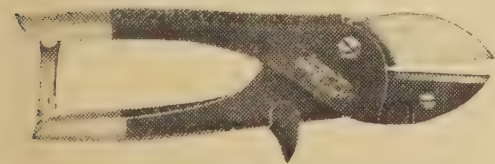


### Professional Pruner

Suitable for the most experienced horticulturist. A Seymour Smith product. Drop forged steel construction with honed blades. Nonpinching handles. Soft acting spring. Far superior to imported models.

**300X18 Size 8 in. \$3.50 each**

**300X19 Size 9 in. \$4.00 each**



### "Snap-Cut" Pruner

A new improved aluminum alloy hand pruner. Snips everything from small twigs to large branches. Keen V blade cuts on soft metal anvil with ease. Light, handy and efficient. All parts replaceable.

**300X15—8 in. (Streamlined) \$2.75 each**

**300X16—8 in. (Standard) \$2.50 each**

**300X17—6 in. Ladies' \$1.85 each**

## SPRAYERS AND DUSTERS

### 250X77 Banner Compressed Air Sprayer

A well-built 4-gallon sprayer of the new improved corrugated type. A splendid sprayer for gardeners having plots 50 x 100 ft. and larger. Galvanized.

**\$9.75 each**

### 250X99 Powder Duster

Easy to operate and dusts without waste. Throws a long, broad dust blast straight ahead, on underside of leaves or at any angle.

**\$1.80 each**

### 250X75 Smith UTK Continuous Sprayer

Made of galvanized steel with a brass nozzle. Throws a continuous fine misty dropless spray. Tank is double seamed, strong and durable. Capacity 1 quart.

**\$1.75 each**

### 275X45 Misty Sprayer

A sturdy efficient hand pump sprayer with one quart capacity. Made of galvanized metal which should last for years.

**95¢ each**

### 275X101

### Sprinkler and Powder Duster

A spray bulb made of the finest seamless rubber; metal parts of brass. Automatic intake valve enables filling in few seconds. Ideal for use in the home for watering plants or newly planted seed. Special discs for dusting and spraying to give mist-like effect.

**8 oz. size \$1.00 each**

**14 oz. size \$1.50 each**

### 275X100 Ajusto-Spray

A combination nozzle and lawn sprinkler. Rustproof metal. Can be adjusted to a fine mist or heavy stream at long range. Adjustable attachment for holding in hand or to act as a sled for fountain type lawn sprinkling.

**95¢ each**



### 200X25 Hayes Jr. Sprayer

For the average size garden. The Hayes Jr. Sprayer fits on the end of a garden hose and operates on a water pressure from 30 to 175 lbs. Makes up to 3 gallons of spray material at a time, sprays liquids and all wettable powders up, down or sideways. Light and easy to use. No moving parts to wear out or break.

**\$6.95 each**

### 250X62 Barco Double Acting Adjustable Nozzle Spray

One of the handiest sprayers ever built for use in spraying flowers, vegetables, trees and shrubs. Ideal for use for fumigating houses, hospitals, stables, camps, etc. Can be used for spraying whitewash, water soluble paints, creosote or other wood preservatives. Nozzle adjustable from fine mist to a heavy spray. Sprayer made of brass; 1 gallon capacity tank is lead-coated inside and out.

**\$7.95 each**

## SEED AND SOIL TREATING

### COMPOUNDS

#### 275X51 Spergon

A seed protectant in powder form for treating seed before planting. Spergon protects seed from harmful fungi that are present in nearly all soils which tend to cause decay and damping-off, especially in cold, wet weather. Spergon assures better germination of the seed and produces healthy plants that give better yield. Ideal for bulb treatment to prevent destructive bacterial or fungus bulb rots. Noninjurious to humans.

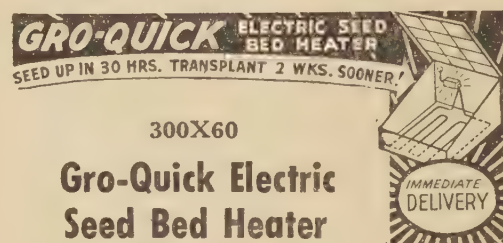
**1 oz. package 25¢; 5 oz. package \$1.00**

#### 200X61 Semesan

Treat seeds, wet or dry, to prevent damping-off caused by soil and seed-borne diseases. Also valuable for the treatment of bulbs, roots and tubers and for the control of lawn diseases.

**Garden packet 20¢; 2 oz. can 45¢; 12 oz. can \$2.15**

## GARDEN ACCESSORIES



#### 300X60

### Gro-Quick Electric Seed Bed Heater

Soil heating cable with thermostat. An inexpensive method of heating hotbeds for early starting of seeds. Temperature controlled. With care will last many years.

**Junior size for 3 x 6 ft. hotbed or 25 sq. ft. coldframe \$6.75**

**Senior size for 6 x 6 ft. hotbed or 50 sq. ft. coldframe \$9.00**

### 300X20 Flower Cutting and Holding Shear

Cuts and holds stem in one operation. A thrilling new convenience for every gardening enthusiast. Made from stainless steel. An ideal gift.

**\$2.50 each**

#### 300X55

### Reinforced Plastic Garden Hose

Sufflex Tuff-Ply hose made from Elastron plastic. Mirror smooth inner wall for unrestricted flow of water, "Tuff-Ply" for extra protection. Will withstand 700 pounds water pressure at ordinary water temperature. Outer jacket metal gray in color for reflection of ultra-violet and heat rays. Abrasion resistant couplings are solid machined brass heavily nickel plated. Weighs ⅓ that of ordinary hose.

**25 foot size \$4.75; 50 foot size \$7.95**



### 300X14 Grass Hook or Hand Scythe

13 inch long, tempered, red enamel finished blade with curved handle and wooden grip. A handy tool to have around.

**\$1.00 each**

### 275X53 Tree Wound Paint

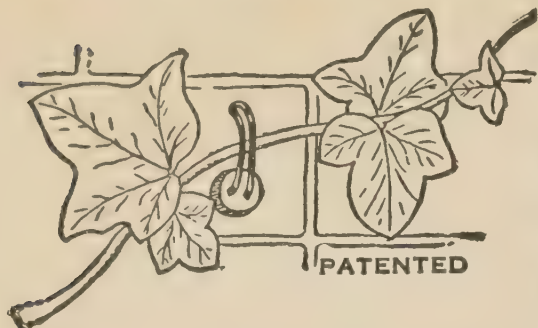
A very adherent and lasting antiseptic dressing for sealing and waterproofing tree wounds. Prevents infection of pruned or damaged portions. Also good for grafting purposes.

**½ pint 65¢; 1 pint \$1.25**

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## 275X80 Wayward Vine Guide and Support

For training and supporting ivy, small fruiting trees and other vines on brick, stone and cement walls without defacing.

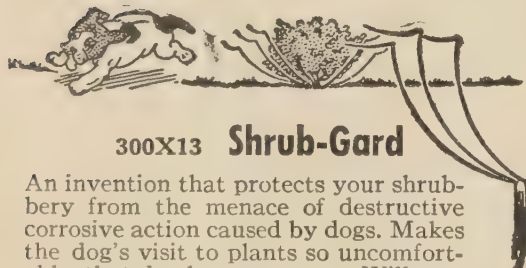
Box of 25, including cement, for \$1.00



## 250X80 Hole-in-One Planter

Plant setter and bulb planter. This handy tool makes a hole in one operation. Merely cut the tool into the soil, remove it with a slight twisting motion and the soil comes with it, leaving a clean hole in which plants or bulbs may be set.

75¢ each



## 300X13 Shrub-Gard

An invention that protects your shrubbery from the menace of destructive corrosive action caused by dogs. Makes the dog's visit to plants so uncomfortable that he keeps away. Will not harm the animal. Rustproof, flexible, almost invisible, steel spring wires. Will not tear clothing of passer-by. Each Shrub-Gard protects 2½ lineal feet.

1 dozen packed to carton \$3.00

## 275X87 Plant Bands

Square open bottom pots of waterproof mold-resistant fibre for potting seedlings early in season. Grow your plants indoors with these plant bands in flats or boxes while danger from frost is outside. Roots are not disturbed when transplanted out in open from bands, thus no shock or setback to plant.

Package of 30 for 35¢



## 250X93 Train-etts

### New Weatherized Trellis Netting

Grow finer, larger Sweet Peas, Garden Peas, Pole Beans, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, etc. Use instead of wire or string. Wire gets hot in sun and burns delicate tendrils, retarding growth. String is tedious to tie, often rots, causing plants to fall to ground. TRAIN-ETTS do not rot—last for several seasons. Can be hung without fuss or bother.

3 sizes—(A) 5 x 6 ft. 65¢;  
(B) 5 x 8 ft. 85¢; (C) 5 x 15 ft. \$1.25



## 250X71 Germaco Hotkaps

### New Method of Plant Protection

Excellent to protect early plants or seeds against frost, rain, wind and insects. Maintain perfect mulch, promote sturdy growth, increase yield and bring crops to maturity 2 to 3 weeks earlier. Inexpensive to buy. Easy to set out; directions on package. Really an individual hothouse for every plant. Made of wax paper.

Home garden size contains 25 Hotkaps and a papier-mache setter for only 80¢;

100 Hotkaps for \$2.90; 250 for \$4.95;  
1000 for \$14.65

The 100 and 250 packages contain a fibreboard setter

## 250X72 Hotkap Steel Setter

This setter is used to advantage where a large number of Hotkaps are to be set.

\$2.10 each

## 250X69 Fibreboard Setter

25¢ each

## 300X22 Neegards

Protect your knees and work in comfort with Neegards. Ideal for both men and women while working in garden or in the home. Flexible form fitting sponge rubber reinforced on wearing surface. Adjustable straps. Designed for maximum comfort and long wearing durability.

Priced low at \$1.95 per pair

## 250X65 All Steel Window Box

Self-irrigating window box of modern design. Sturdily constructed of strong plated steel. Designed to permit entry of water at plant roots. Supported to prevent moisture condensation on sill. Attractively finished in pale green. Suitable for all types of house plants. Can be used to start seeds.

Length 27 in., width 5¼ in., height 6 in.

\$3.25 each

Small Size: length 15 in., width 3½ in.,  
Height 4½ in.

\$1.95 each

## National Eezy Wear Garden Gloves

All leather, extra soft, durable, dirtproof, washable gloves. Made from select lamb skins. Because of softness and pliability glove provides almost barehand freedom. Ideal for garden, house, basement, garage, furnace, etc., where protection from stains, scratches, infection is desired.

200X67 Men's medium } \$1.50  
200X68 Men's large }

200X69 Ladies' medium } \$1.40  
200X70 Ladies' large }

Advise size desired when ordering.

## Pot and Garden Labels

Wooden, Painted	Per 100	Per 1000
250X81— 4 in. long .....	\$0.50	\$3.80
250X82— 5 in. long .....	.55	4.20
250X83— 6 in. long .....	.60	4.70
250X85—12 in. long .....	2.50	17.50

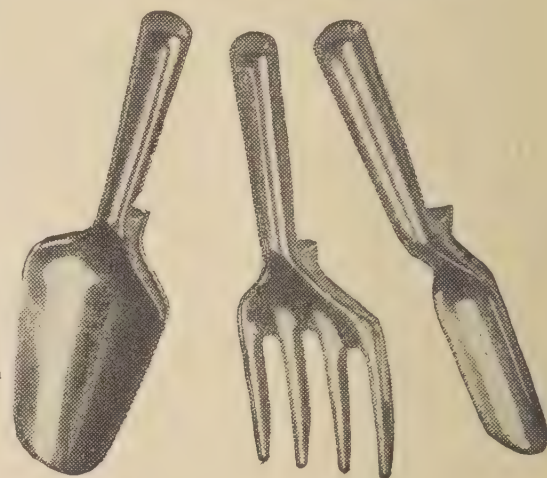
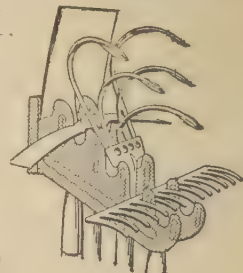
You may order

250 or more of the same size labels at the 1000 rate

## 300X58 Garden Tool Holder

Five notches provide compact, secure storage for spades, rakes, hoes, and other garden tools. Can be used in household closet for brooms, brushes, mops, etc. Tested at 1,000 lbs. yet weighs only 1½ lbs. Individually boxed.

85¢ each; 3 for \$2.40



## 275X98 Markle's Quality Garden Tool Set

One piece aluminum alloy construction provides super strength, featherweight lightness, perfect balance, brilliant, sparkling finish. A finger rest prevents slipping, eliminates fatigue. World's finest garden tools guaranteed for life. Set of three (garden trowel, cultivating fork and bulb trowel).

Deluxe \$3.95 per set

Standard (dull finish) \$2.20 per set



## 275X99 Soil-Soaker

Water seeps through entire length gently—no spray—puts water where you want it—all soaks to the roots. Made of scientifically treated, mildew-resistant canvas, one end screws to water hose, other end closed. Water seeps through every pore, soaks directly into the soil over an area of several feet on all sides. No spray—no waste on walks, driveways, in street—no excessive evaporation. Ideal for lawns, terraces, flower and vegetable gardens, hedges, shrubs, trees, etc. Savings on water bills, as much as 25%. Get yours now!

No. 0 Size, 12 feet long, \$1.65

No. 2 Size, 30 feet long, \$3.40

No. 3 Size, 50 feet long, \$5.50



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### 275X75 Sudbury Soil Testing Outfit

A practical simple testing kit which will help you in your soil problems. Twenty individual tests for nitrogen, phosphorus, potash and acidity. Get the best results in the use of fertilizers.

**Acid-Alkaline Testing Kit \$1.00**  
**Gardener's Soil Test Kit \$2.50**  
**Club Model \$4.75**  
**Horticultural \$12.50**  
**Professional \$22.50**

### "Twist-ems"

Strong, dark green tapes, with wire reinforcing that make perfect plant ties—protect stems, support plants, vines, shrubs and vegetables. Quick, neat and permanent; eliminate unsightly twine or raffia.

**200X31 Box of 125 Twist-ems (8 in. long) 35¢**  
**200X32 Box of 125 Twist-ems (16 in. long) 65¢**



### ROSS ROOT FEEDER for root zone watering and feeding



### 300X25 Ross Root Feeder

A revolutionary new appliance for thorough effective application of fertilizers at the root zone of flowers, vegetables, shrubs, trees and lawns. It consists of a valve and cartridge chamber assembly with a pointed pipe drilled at the tip to permit flow of the nutrient solution. A simple economical method of supplying soil with the chemicals necessary for vigorous plant life when attached to standard garden hose. Money back guarantee. Warranted against defects of workmanship and materials for one year.

**\$3.50 each**

**300X26 Concentrated Fertilizer Cartridges to fit above feeder. \$1.00 per dozen**

### 275X57 Aerosol Bomb

A multipurpose household insecticide killing flies, mosquitoes, moths, ants, roaches, etc. The scientific way of killing troublesome insects. Will treat up to 135,000 cubic feet when used as directed. Simple to operate.

**\$1.90 each**

### 275X86 Cutworm Protector

A heavy waterproof fibre resin collar which does not disintegrate in the ground. Collar is 3 inches high and 3 inches in diameter and affords excellent protection against cutworms on tomatoes, peppers, cabbage, etc.

**Package of 50 for 45¢**



### Moist-Shur Plantray

A beautiful red rubber tray which protects the pottery and adds to the life of the plant. Sunken bottom of tray collects water in the center, absorbent pad feeds water to roots of plant. Underside of tray raised for ventilation thus no ring marks. Avoid stains and scratches to your furniture and window sills where you use this Plantray.

**300x36 Up to 6 in. Flower Pots 25¢ each**  
**300x37 Up to 8 in. Flower Pots 50¢ each**



### 300X28 Plastic Flower Pot

Durable, tops in style and quality, these pots will add beauty to your home. Will not break under normal conditions; not affected by soil chemicals or plant action. An ideal gift item for your plant loving friends. In the popular 4½ in. size in the following colors: red, green, yellow and ivory. Please state color when ordering.

**30¢ each,**  
**10 of one or assorted colors \$2.85**  
**300X29 Coaster to match above Plastic Pots 10¢ each; 10 for 80¢**

### 275X94

### Bird Feeder

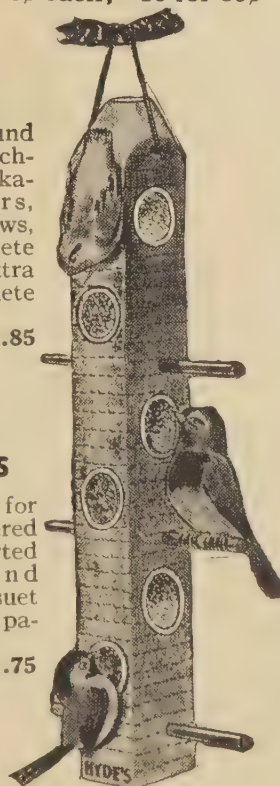
An aerial picnic ground for Clinging and Perching birds such as Chickadees, Woodpeckers, Juncos, Song Sparrows, Finches, etc. Complete with food and 24 extra tidbits for 2 complete refills of feeder.

**Combination \$2.85**

### 275X95 Bird Feeder Tidbits

Ready-to-use refills for the Bird Feeder offered above. They are assorted seed-and-suet and pressed peanut and suet tidbits molded into paper cups.

**Box of 24 for \$1.75**



### 300X40 Mica-Gro

The ideal seed starting medium Mica-Gro holds water like a sponge. Less frequent watering. Damping off of young seedlings reduced to a minimum. Transplanting of seedlings made easier.

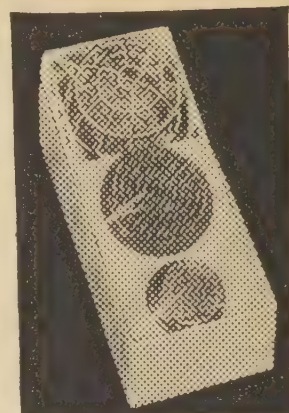
**½ peck package 60 cents**

### 300X42

### Nev-R-Tip Flower Holder

Constructed of heavy cast alloy base suitable for shallow bowls or vases. Serviceable for all stems. Set of 3 best sizes packed in attractive gift package.

**Set of 3 holders \$1.50**



### 200X35 Spray Catalizer and Sticker

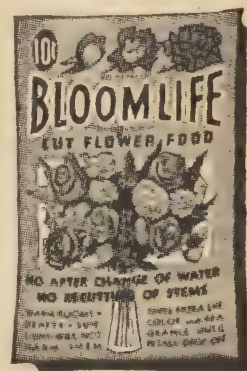


A spreader sticker for lime sulfur, arsenate of lead and other chemicals. Stops lead sulfide (black sludge) formation when arsenate of lead is combined with sulfur. Enables one to get better coverage with less applications as adhesive qualities enable spray material to remain on plants even during heavy rain. Use 1 to 2 pounds to 100 gallons. **2 lb. package 80¢**

### 275X72

### Bloomlife

A scientifically prepared chemical which when added to water enables cut flowers to last much longer. No necessity for changing water or recutting stems. **1 packet (makes two quarts) 10¢;**  
**26 quart size \$1.00**



### 275X91 Vegetable Gardening Book

A book that meets the needs of every home gardener. Complete information is presented in a practical, simple, yet comprehensive manner. The book covers the topics of planting, fertilizing, cultivating, protection from insect and fungus pests, harvesting and storage of crops. 240 pages of valuable information.

**25¢ per copy**

### 300X45 Flower Encyclopedia

524 pages on the problems of growing flowers. Complete in every detail in the preparation and fertilizing of the seedbed, how and when seeds and bulbs should be planted. Advises on the selection of the proper plants for every location. Complete planting charts for perennials and annuals. Also contains information on hotbeds, cold frames and seed flats. An ideal gift for your gardening friends.

**Each \$1.98**

### 300X47 Garden Flowers in Color

A guide book for the beginner and a reference book for the advanced gardener. 350 beautiful color plates to help identify the best known annuals, perennials, flowering trees, shrubs, bulbs and roses. Adequate cultural directions; suggestions for proper color combinations in the flower garden. An ideal gift item.

**Only \$2.95**

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# Burpee's *Floradale Farms* IN CALIFORNIA



Girls harvesting pansy seed on Floradale Farms. Because the plants keep on blooming through a long season, it is necessary for the girls to go over the fields most frequently, often every day, and hand pick the seed pods, otherwise they would shatter and much valuable seed would be lost.



Lemonade, one of the new giant double snapdragons growing for seed on Burpee's Floradale Farms, in the Lompoc Valley, near Santa Barbara, California.

Day after day, in proper season, girls tediously and painstakingly hand pollinate petunia flowers to create the new Multiflora F<sub>1</sub> hybrids, Pink Sensation and Silver Medal. On page 28 we describe these outstanding hybrids and give you some idea as to how this pollination is done. It is necessary for us to hand pollinate each year and for best results in your garden you should get new seed each year. It is amazing to see the hybrid vigor in the plants, the profusion of flowers and the way they are carried well above the foliage of the bushy plants.



Seeds of practically all hardy annuals are sown directly out-doors, after which it is necessary to thin out and transplant. The men here are doing such work in a field of asters at Floradale.



Part of a 40-acre field of the Giant Luther Burbank Zinnias growing for seed. 1949 is the 100th anniversary of Luther Burbank's birth. Be sure to have a planting of these Centennial flowers in your garden. They are delightful.



# Burpee's

# Fordhook Farms

IN PENNSYLVANIA



In the Burpee Experiment Grounds, Phil Alampi, WJZ Radio Farm Director, interviews Miss E. H. Lintleman regarding the creation of the new Giant Skyscraper Snapdragons. The methods used to produce new flowers were recorded for the WJZ Farm News Program.



Test plantings of Bush Lima Beans with Pole Limas in the background on Burpee's Fordhook Farms in Pennsylvania. It is for these farms that Burpee's famous Fordhook Bush Lima Bean was named as were such well-known vegetables as Fordhook Celery, Fordhook Famous Cucumber, Fordhook Pickling Cucumber, Fordhook Early Watermelon, Fordhook Wonder Pea, Fordhook Pepper, Fordhook Hybrid Tomato, etc.

Burpee Hybrid Cucumber in the foreground. Due to the hybrid's ability to withstand mosaic and downy mildew, the vines continue to produce their fruits most profusely long after open pollinated varieties have ceased. This picture was taken late in the summer. Note that the vines of a regular variety in the background are nearly dead—Burpee Hybrid keeps on growing and bearing fruits to everyone's astonishment. The extreme vigor and high quality of Burpee Hybrid have made it a most popular, white spine, slicing type cucumber everywhere. See page 77.



A section of the breeding and experiment grounds at Fordhook Farms devoted to petunias. It was here that some of our best varieties were created—the Alldoubles and the new Multiflora F<sub>1</sub> hybrid Silver Medal being introduced this year—the only medal winner in the All-America Trials for 1949.



College girls hand pollinate tomato blossoms at Fordhook to create the four new F<sub>1</sub> hybrids we have introduced in recent years and Burpee's Big Boy, the new Giant Hybrid Tomato being offered for the first time this year. Read about Big Boy on page 104; see color picture on back cover.



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